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Of about 30 acres, have graded the streets and introduced water and gas, and are now prepared to sell lots and build on them, erect buildings to suit purchasers, at the lowest possible cost and upon easy terms of payment.

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43 MILK Street, Boston.

Mr. D. H. Hall of Allston has been ap-

pointed district deputy for Norumbega  
tribe. Improved Order Red Men, of this

—Mrs. E. A. Sinclair has moved from

Brock street, Newton, to North Farnsworth

St., to live with her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Martin.

—The steam roller has been at work on

Centre street the past week, and the con-

crete walk on the public library grounds has

been laid.

—Dr. H. M. Field has spent two days at

the White Mountains this week, with his

family. He leaves Sept. 13th for his annual

course of lectures at Dartmouth Medical

College.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woods arrived

home this week from their summer's stay

at Westbrook, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs.

Frony of Milford are spending a few days

with them.

—The alarm at 8:15 p. m. yesterday was

for a fire in a hay barn on Tremont street,

Brighton, near the Newton line, owned and

occupied by John Backman. The damage

was about \$200.

—The trains begin once more to take on

their usual crowded appearance, and the vaca-

tionists are daily arriving home in large numbers, preparatory to the opening of school next week.

—F. G. Barnes & Co. have sold Mrs. Put-

nam's house on Baldwin street to Mrs. H.

R. Klock of Amherst, Mass., who will occu-

py it. Mrs. Klock is the mother-in-law of

Mr. R. H. Stearns, Jr., of Boston.

—John T. Burns has added a 100 pound

high pressure boiler to his barber shop, for

use in shampooing, according to the latest

city styles. He has also added a third as-

sistant, which will give better accommoda-

tion to his patrons.

—Assessors Samuel M. Jackson and

Howard B. Smith, having completed their ar-

ea and valuation of property, will be at

Thursday morning for a trip through the

White Mountains. Mr. Wm. H. Brackett

with them.

—Master Charles Barrows won second

prize in the amateur swimming match at

Crescent Beach, last Saturday. He was

the only boy in the contest but by some

mistake a man received the medal, and the

committee have promised to set the matter

right.

—Master Julia Williams, formerly a popu-

lar assistant in the post office, was married

Wednesday evening at Grace church to Mr.

A. L. Paine, and they have gone on a trip to

Truro, and other points on Cape Cod. On

their return they will live on Newtonville

for a time.

—Byonton & Marsh have removed their

goods this week, and their store is now vac-

ant. Francis Murdock & Co. have now

the only dry goods store and sell at such fair

prices that there is hardly room for any

competitor.

## NEWTON.

—“What is Magic?”

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN READ ELECTION RETURNS.

The board of aldermen held its first meeting after the summer vacation, Tuesday evening. All the members were present and in the absence of Mayor Burr, President Pettee occupied the chair.

## THE ELECTION RETURNS.

The first business was the reading of election returns from the different wards. For alderman from Ward Seven the votes were as follows:

Wards.	E. S. Hamblen.	Scattering.
1	10	7
2	22	3
3	8	0
4	2	0
5	53	0
6	9	1
7	28	0

For councilman from Ward Five E. L. Collins received 53 votes, all that were cast.

The board will meet next Monday evening to declare the result of the election.

## OTHER MATTERS.

James Scannell of Allston was licensed as a junk dealer.

M. Cavanaugh gave notice of intention to build a house, corner of Middle and West streets, 65 by 30 feet; Sarah E. Huestis, house on Woodbine street, and Wm. Leonard and James Delacy, also gave notice of intention to build.

Austin Sanders and other residents on Clinton Terrace asked to have their walks concreted.

Residents on South street asked for street lamps on that street.

Chas. A. Wyman, Fisher Ames, and other residents of Temple street protested against allowing posts to be put up on that street for any purpose.

G. M. Rice, Sumner street, asked for concrete walks in front of his estate.

A. J. Fiske and Co. asked for concrete walks on Watertown street.

Theodore L. Mason asked for license to move building, 22 by 23, with 12 foot posts, from Washington street to a point near his residence on Nonantum Place. Alderman Childs stated that there was some feeling in regard to the matter among the neighbors and on his motion a hearing was granted, Monday evening, Sept. 9th, at 8 o'clock.

Residents on South street asked for a plank walk from Hammond street to the Boston line. All referred to Highway committee.

Street lamps were asked to be restored on Adams street, near the Catholic church, taken away when the electric light was put up.

Two street lamps were asked for on Parker street; referred to lamp committee.

J. A. Delacy asked for license to build stable on Bourne street, for two horses; Geo. B. Wilson, stable for 12 horses on Clark street; M. Z. Green, stores and tenement, corner Watertown and Washington streets; D. H. McWain, stores and tenement on Pelham street, all passed under suspension of the rules.

At this point Alderman Pettee called on Alderman Childs to take the chair, as he wished to leave for Boston. Alderman Childs modestly suggested that it would be better to call on an older member, instead of a mere infant, as it were, in city experience. Alderman Johnson said give the infant a chance, with which encouragement Alderman Childs took the chair and made a very acceptable and business-like presiding officer.

E. W. Hodgdon asked for license to build harness shop and tenement in front of his residence on Washington street, Ward Two; granted.

## THE STREET RAILWAY.

Alderman Harbach presented the petition of the Newton Street Railway company, to leave to extend their tracks from Washington through Crafts street, to the electric light station, and also to build their tracks one side of the street, instead of the centre of Washington street. A hearing was granted on these two points for Monday evening, Sept. 16th, at 8 o'clock.

The company also asked to be allowed to lay their rails without chairs, and to concrete between the tracks instead of macadamize, where it was thought desirable.

These two latter points were referred to a committee of three, appointed by the chair—Aldermen Harbach, Johnson and Tolman.

President Geo. W. Morse said that on the two latter points the company would like to be heard to-night, as it was quite important to have those matters decided, as chairs were to be bought, they wanted to order them at once. He presented an order which he had prepared, substituting a 45-pound rail for the 50-pound required, and laid without chairs, on chestnut or oak ties, and filled in with concrete or crushed stone, as should be deemed advisable, the whole to be done satisfactory to the aldermen, or high-way committee.

Watertown and Watertown had, he said, granted the use of the 45-pound rail, and chairs were only needed where paving stones were used for a track for horses, but paving was not desirable in Newton and was a needless expense. He thought the practical questions arising as to the building of the road should be referred to some special committee, the board deciding about the general regulations.

He then called on Mr. Ferguson, who is a practical street railway builder, and in reply to Alderman Johnson, Mr. Ferguson said that chairs keep the rails up above the ties, but the rails would be firmer spiked right to the ties, in the same manner as the steam railway tracks were laid. Without chairs the filling would be 4 inches deep above the ties, and quite a depth between them. Steel chairs could not be obtained anyway, owing to the Johnstown flood, and iron chairs would have to be substituted in some places, as in the centre of the villages, concrete would be better, and in other places crushed stone. Newport and Attleboro were putting down a 45-pound rail, and he thought a 45-pound rail would do for Newton. In reply to a question, he admitted that the West End company were using a heavier rail. The cost of concrete would be very much more if done by local parties, and he could not give the exact figures, but the company had sent for bids from outside parties.

Mr. Morse said he had just received figures from Gore & Co., and the cost of concrete would be \$4,224 and of macadam, \$2,590. The company intended to give Newton one of the best roads in the State in either case.

The changes were then referred to the special committee.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

J. S. Spaul was granted an honorable discharge from No. 6 hose.

Alderman Johnson presented an order adding \$2,500 to the appropriation for the board of health, and charged to any unexpended balances, or to the taxes of 1880, referred to the finance committee.

A motion to pay H. W. Mason \$200 for work performed in making abstracts of deeds for the assessors, was referred to the committee on finance.

## NEWTON CENTRE PLAYGROUND.

Alderman Harbach presented an order, appropriating \$10,000 for the Ward Six playground, on condition that the land should be deeded to the city and that an equal amount be given by citizens of Newton Centre.

Alderman Chadwick called for the report of the committee on Parks. Alderman Johnson said that the chairman of the Park committee, Alderman Pettee, was away, but the changes that had been made, leaving out one corner of the proposed playground, which was separated from the rest and was a very small lot, cut down the expense of the whole from \$24,000 to \$20,000, and with this change he approved of the city's giving half the cost.

Alderman Chadwick asked if the Park committee did not recommend giving only \$6,000 or 25 per cent. of the cost. He thought that was the utmost that the city should do.

The special report was taken from the table, read and accepted, and Alderman Chadwick moved to make the city's contribution \$5,000.

The roll was called and the \$10,000 order was passed with Alderman Chadwick voting no, the vote standing 4 to 1.

Alderman Childs ruled that this was a two-thirds vote, there being no alderman from Ward Seven, although the citizens had indicated their preferences.

An order was passed for the posting of the notice of the street railway hearing and the advertising of it in both local papers, and on motion of Alderman Chadwick the board adjourned to Monday evening, Sept. 9th, at 7.15 o'clock.

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## ST. NICHOLAS.

The readers of St. Nicholas will gladly welcome another article about little Helen Keller, with portraits of this charming little girl and her mother, Miss Sullivan. Of "The Lamb that Couldn't Keep Up" it is sufficient to say that Mary Haskell Footh is the author. Thomas A. Jackson contributes a story, and Lucy Lamont, Harriet Prescott Spofford and others are present in their verses. The serial, "Among the Florida Keys," is continued in this number, and "Modern Harbor Defences," by Lieutenant Hamilton, is a most interesting article. One of the most attractive features of this magazine is the illustrations, which are always of the finest sort. Price \$3.00 a year. Single number 25 cents. Century Company, 33 East 17th street, New York.

## Miscellaneous.

THE DISCOVERY.

When old Columbus with his ships

About our country have wrought

Each Indian man with upright grace

Skipped from the sunbathing place

And cried with wonder-stricken face:

"Great heavens! we're discovered!"

—Philadelphia Press.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER.—"Johnny,

what part of the East did the Wise men

come from?" Johnny—"From Harvard."

—P. C. P.

A Fortunate Woman. "There," said

the new lady of the castle, "are the

graves of the former owner's ancestors.

My ancestors," she added, proudly, "are

all living."—Harper's Magazine.

TABLE ATTRACTIONS. Neighbor's Girl—

"We're going to have watermelon and

green corn for dinner." Our Girl—

"That's nothin'; we're going to have my

aunt and cousin for dinner!"—Omaha World.

Mr. B. (having aside paper). "What

was you asking me, m' deary?"

Mr. B. (to waiter). "You may bring

me an omelette, some hash, mutton-chops, with a bit of bacon, baked potatoes, rolls, and coffee, and afterward

some griddle-cakes and syrup."

—DO YOU KNOW?

That you can save money by buying your

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, WOODS,

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I am adding every day to my stock, and

making Lower Prices than ever. Come here

and pay cash for a month and you will

never run a bill again.

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A TARIFF IS A TAX.

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## TARIFF REFORM TICKET.

—1880—

FOR GOVERNOR.  
OLIVER AMES and free iron-ore.FOR LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.  
JOSEPH K. LEESON and free flax.FOR SECRETARY.  
PELEG MCFARLIN and free coal.FOR TREASURER.  
ALDEN SPEARE and free traffic.

## A Question of Life and Death!

Gov. Ames in support of his position as petitioner for free iron ore, free coke, and free coal, is reported as saying, "It is not a question of politics; it is a question of life and death." But the Protect-everything party evidently consider it a "question of life and death" also. Some weeks past we called attention to the words of Senator Sherman and Congressman McKinley and Goff on this point. Scarcely more than a year ago the Home Market Club in banquet assembled applauded the speakers just named for such statements as these:—

"But such a decision [free wool and free iron ore] would be an abandonment of the whole principle of protection."

"I assure you there is no way-side station in the work of cutting down duties when once entered upon."

"You can't have free wool and free coal, and then have protected woolen and cotton goods. If you undermine the foundations, the structure will fall."

And now the new Secretary of the Club, Albert Clarke, issued a letter under date Aug. 21, and reaffirms this extreme position. He declares free wool, free iron, f o coal, etc., to be wedges which will "utterly separate and break down the party of protection." Let the battle rage. Mr. Clarke has consistency on his side, and Gov. Ames common-sense on his. In the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred eighty and eight the name of Oliver Ames stood first on the list of vice-presidents of the Home Market Club! We command to our bold Governor the following lines from a Puritan Poet as an appropriate reply to the challenge of the new Secretary:

"My sentence is for open war: of wiles,  
More unexpert, I boast not; then they need not;  
Contract who need; and when they need not;  
For which we contend, still rest,  
Millions that stand in arms and long are wait  
The signal to ascend, sit lingering here  
And for their dwelling place  
Accept this dark propitious day of shame!"

## A High Tariff Prophesy.

"The Free Traders tell us boldly and defiantly, through their organs and circular letters, that they have already begun to educate the people for the Congressional battle of next year and the Presidential election of 1892. They are hard at work all over the country. In every State and every county, clubs are being formed in the Democratic clubs of large cities and being utilized. The clubs of voters are gathered and sent to State headquarters and in return documents are sent for free distribution or are mailed direct. Members of the Cobden Club say that their membership in this country is constantly growing, and they are better prepared than ever to scatter the doctrines and theories of British Free-Trade. The Mugwump press is not only active but aggressive and arrogant. And in opposition to all this, what is being done in the interests of Protection? Very little, we are compelled to admit, outside of that done by THE AMERICAN PROTECTIVE TARIFF LEAGUE. And why is this so? Well, because we are "tired of Tariff talk." And suppose this apathy continues, what will be the result? It is not difficult to foresee. The victory of last November was won by too narrow a margin to be retained without a struggle. Already the enemy is at work to overthrow the results of last fall. And they will have no difficulty if Protectionists remain "tired of Tariff talk." We shall soon find that we will have thrown away what we have gained, and the sequel will be a President, Senate, and House, all in favor of Free Trade."

—American Economist, Aug. 9.

## China and America.

An anti-sewing machine guild has been formed by the Chinese tailors of Hong Kong. A Chinaman who had joined "the party of progress" and had been using the sewing machine was recently waited upon by a deputation from the guild, and requested to pay to its members 30 taels as compensation for using the "foreign devil." He refused, and was instantly assailed. The police saved his life, but he is not quite so eager now to use the sewing machine.

The Chinese are completely behind the times. An anti sewing-machine guild! Why, here we have an anti-wool guild, an anti-iron guild, an anti-coal guild, an anti-salt guild, an anti-sugar guild, and one thousand other guilds, all rolled into one and called a Tariff. The agents of the guilds are called Custom House Officers, and the compensations levied are humorously called "duties." This "foreign devil" business is evidently in its infancy in China. By all means send a missionary to that benighted country.

## Three Times Its Cost.

There is no article of food or drink, regarding which the Public have been so deceived as Tea and now a most commendable work has been undertaken by a strong company of producers and capitalists to supply the people of the great United States with perfectly Pure Tea at a reasonable advance over the cost of production.

Give up drinking poor, adulterated and colored Tea, and drink only the O. & O. Tea which is worth three times its cost, and will have a more beneficial effect on the health of our people than any food reforms of modern ages.

"You knew George Washington, didn't you?" he queried in a confidential way as he hitched up to a man in a Woodward avenue car. "No sir; I never did," was the somewhat emphatic reply. "Well you may have heard of him, of course?" "I may have." "You don't mean to say you never did hear of him?" "I refuse to commit myself, sir, until I know your object." "Oh, that's it. Well, if a fellow was hard up and went to Washington to borrow a dollar till Saturday night he—" "That's enough, sir! I now declare that I never heard of George Washington, and his characteristics have no earthly interest to me. Good day, sir!"—Detroit Free Press.

## THE TAX LISTS.

## CITIZENS WHO PAY OVER \$200 TO THE CITY TREASURY.

The list of large tax-payers will be found below, but as some tax-payers have property in nearly every ward, the lists do not represent with exactness some of the larger tax-payers.

In the following table is given the way the taxable property and the polls are divided among the several wards, and also the amount which each ward pays. The total amount to raise this year is \$517,000.10, and the tax rate is \$14.80.

Ward. Polls. Persons. Real Estate. Total.  
1. 885 4 \$1,001,137 \$2,824,250 \$58,387  
2. 1121 3 966,120 14,147,550 77,037  
3. 855 16 1,163,300 3,472,500 74,210  
4. 840 10 1,040,000 3,025,250 62,210  
5. 866 2 459,185 2,611,975 47,186  
6. 979 13 2,199,230 4,879,375 111,703  
7. 626 34 4,066,700 94,010  
6185 78 \$9,264,372 \$29,300,300 \$26,298

The next table gives the number of houses, horses, cows, oxen and acres in the city, divided as follows:

Ward. Houses. Horses. Cows. Oxen. Acres. Sq. Ft.  
1. 559 222 89 0 344 40,184  
2. 802 257 122 0 861 25,420  
3. 593 348 178 0 1098 14,835  
4. 576 210 149 0 1085 13,938  
5. 373 252 290 0 3313 35,645  
6. 681 379 230 0 2074 13,905  
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The total of taxable property in the city, as discovered by the assessors, is \$34,054,672. The list, is as follows:

## WARD ONE.

Adams, Mrs. Caroline P. .... \$994 10  
Adams, George D. .... 257 20  
Adams, Isaac D. .... 231 40  
Allison, James S., heirs. .... 232 36  
Allison, John N. .... 149 00  
Barker, Antoinette A. .... 310 80  
Barker, J. Nathan H. .... 248 20  
Barker & Co. .... 222 08  
Bledgett, Adelade N. .... 296 00  
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## NEWTONVILLE.

"Making calls Monday? Yes, I use Magic."

Twenty-five votes polled in this ward at the special election.

M. W. Chase and family returned this week from Gardner, Me.

The stores were closed here on the afternoon of Labor Day.

Supt. Thomas Emerson returned from Lisbon, N. H., this week.

Mr. David H. Fitch has returned from his visit to Hartford, Ct.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ames will return from Hull tomorrow.

Mr. E. J. Goodwin and family have returned from Pine Point, Me.

Ex-Mayor Kimball and family returned this week from Sorrento, Me.

Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., and family have returned from Brainfield.

Miss Sarah Hill starts next week on a vacation trip to Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. A. D. Blodgett and family have returned from Old Orchard, Me.

Harry Williams has returned from his vacation trip to Old Orchard, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chaloner are at home from their summer vacation.

J. T. Hill has added an antique oak roller-top desk to his office fixtures.

Master Harry and Miss Angie Savage have returned from Henniker, N. H.

Mr. F. S. Rollins and family have returned from their cottage at Nantucket.

Adj't. Gott of Charles Ward post and family have returned from Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Savage have returned from a pleasant trip to Marshfield.

Mr. James H. Wright has returned from Eastham with a good string of fish.

Mr. George H. Hill and family are at the Shirley Hill House, Manchester, N. H.

Misses Annie and Addie Lewis are spending the present week at Portland, Me.

Mrs. C. A. Shedd and Miss Beecher returned this week from Breezy Point, N. H.

Mrs. Sherwood and her daughter Josie have returned from Sugar Hill, Lisbon, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tainter have returned from a vacation trip to Jaffrey, N. H.

Miss Helen Lincoln of Hingham is here visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Price have moved into their new house on Cabot street.

Miss Florence Wilder of Somerville is visiting Miss Marian Bosson, Mt. Vernon street.

Mr. Len Bruce of Springfield is the guest of Mr. A. J. Waudless, Allston street.

The engagement of Miss Stella J. Lewis and Mr. Henry A. Vose is announced.

Rev. Mr. Dearborn of Hartford, Ct., spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. H. P. Dearborn.

W. F. Dearborn, Jr., and family and Miss Ida Brown, returned this week from Cottage City.

A caucus for the nomination of a postmaster will be held in Tremont Hall Saturday evening.

Mrs. R. A. White has returned from Plymouth, where she has been spending the summer vacation.

Mrs. Underhill returned this week from Derry, N. H., where she has been spending the summer season.

There was quite a large gathering at the rooms of the Newton Outing Club, Central Block, on Labor Day.

Dr. F. M. O'Donnell has returned from Holyoke and reopened his office, corner of Washington and Crafts street.

Miss Nellie Roberts has accepted a position in Mrs. Sullivan's store and commences her duties there Monday.

Miss Annie Call, who has been spending the summer in Europe, sails for home on the 11th instant from Liverpool.

Councilmen Fenn and family have returned from the Rockland House, Nantasket, where they have been spending the season.

Officer Clay and family have returned from Norwood and on Wednesday evening Mr. Clay resumed his duties as patrolman.

Mr. J. V. Sullivan has made improvements in his store. A retiring and toilet room has been recently added and neatly fitted up.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth and Miss Jessie Woodworth have returned from Newfield, Me., where they spent a pleasant vacation.

Mr. Lloyd Wentworth, who has been visiting his cousin, Clarence Wentworth, has returned to his home in Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Call, with their infant daughter, of New York, are spending a few days at Dr. Whiston's, on Highland avenue.

Rev. G. S. Butters and family have returned from North Falmouth. Mr. Butters occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church, Sunday.

Mr. G. S. Burgess and family have moved into their new house on Judkins street, recently purchased of Messrs. Higgins & Nickerson.

James W. Allen, formerly employed by New Bedford will visit Newton on Friday evening to take action on the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter, who has been called to Newark, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kilburn will visit New Bedford Sept. 10th and 11th and 12th. Mr. Kilburn will attend the Eighth Annual Convention of the Mass. State Pharmacetical Association of which he is a member.

A meeting of the Newton Cooperative Bank was held Tuesday evening, when the new series was opened and 350 shares sold. The sum of \$2400 was bid off at 15 cents premium; \$1200 at 5 cents, and \$400 at 25 cents.

Frank, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wyman, entertained a numerous company of his little friends at the residence of his parents, Bowers street, last Saturday afternoon upon the occasion of his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Bosson are enjoying a carriage ride through New Hampshire, visiting Concord, Manchester and Mt. Washington. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Langmaid of Watertown. The party left here Tuesday.

The attendance of members at the clubroom of the Newton Club, Labor Day, was not large for a holiday, but those present participated in the pleasant social features, always characteristic of its gatherings. Whist, as usual, was the popular game.

Mr. George Mead and family have returned from Rindge, N. H. Mr. Mead's friends will be rejoiced to learn that his health, impaired by over exertion, is greatly improved. He is as brown as a berry and full of energy for the approaching campaign.

The Newton Street Railway Co. has made an offer for the building on Crafts street owned by the Newton & Watertown Gas Light Company, which we understand

has been accepted. The street railway company will use the building for a power station.

The subject of Rev. R. A. White's discourse last Sunday morning was "Keeping the Sabbath in Europe." He alluded particularly to the present spirit of religious tolerance, contrasting it with the narrow views concerning religious rights and observances in Europe in the past.

Rev. R. A. White occupied the pulpit at the Universalist church, Sunday, and preached an interesting and instructive sermon. The regular service of the Sunday school was suspended, but the attendance was so large as usual owing to the absence of many residents who have not yet returned from the mountain and seashore resorts.

At about seven o'clock last Friday evening Frank Hyslop was riding a western mustang owned by J. L. Richards and while passing the residence of A. R. Mitchell on Walnut street the horse suddenly turned into the driveway, throwing the rider over the fence. His left leg struck a stone post inflicting a deep and painful wound. He was attended by Dr. Hunt.

Mr. A. T. Sisson, president of the Newton Outing Club, Mr. Frank Taintor, Mr. Danforth of Waltham, Mr. H. C. Weston started from South Natick at 8 a. m., Lake Quinsigamond, and paddled their canoes down the winding Charles to Riverside, a distance of 36 miles. They speak of it as being a very delightful trip. The Sisson brothers were quite fortunate in securing a string of fine pickerel on their journey, which made a nice breakfast next morning.

At Boston Highlands on Friday evening, Aug. 30th, occurred the 25th anniversary of the formation of the Newton Outing Club. About 30 invited guests were present, including quite a number of present and former residents of this village. Among the latter were noticed Mr. and Mrs. J. Dexter White. The couple was presented with quite a number of very pretty and valuable pieces of silverware, after which a collation was served in one of Boston's best known eateries. Mr. and Mrs. Estes were married in this village in the house now occupied by Dustin Lancey, Esq., living there several years, then in Cabot street, moving to Boston several years ago.

The Republicans of Ward Two will hold a caucus in Tremont Hall, Newtonville, Saturday evening, for the purpose of nominating a candidate. The present incumbent of the office, Mr. Turner, is a Democrat, whose term expires soon. Many of the Republicans of the ward are in favor of retaining him in office, as he has been an efficient official and has discharged his duties in a very satisfactory manner. For the same reason ex-President Cleveland recommended two Republicans to the city, although he himself was recommended by some of the prominent Democrats of his own party. The Republicans of Newtonville seem to be very nearly equally divided on the question of Mr. Turner's reappointment, and for that reason it was decided to call a caucus to settle the question. Mr. E. B. Colburn, a prominent Democrat, is a candidate for the office, and is endorsed by numerous Republicans, and the caucus promises to be quite an interesting and exciting affair.

Mr. Leroy Braund Tewksbury, a former resident, died in Topeka, Kansas, Sunday morning, after a brief illness. The deceased was born in Boston and was 30 years of age. He had resided during his boyhood and early manhood in Newtonville, attending the public school here, winning the esteem and respect of a very wide circle of friends for many estimable traits of character. Six years ago he went to Kansas and accepted a position as superintendent of the New Graphophone Monograph Co., taking charge of the principal office of the company at Topeka and assuming the responsibility of the manufacture of a wonderful invention through Kansas and the western part of the country. His sudden demise was due to material and lung affections, his illness covering a period of only 3 weeks. He married a western lady and was not happily settled in Topeka. The funeral took place on Monday noon in Topeka and memorial services were also held at the same hour at the residence of his parents on Walnut street, Newtonville, Rev. Dr. Shinn officiating. The sympathy of the many friends of the family is most freely extended to those who have been so suddenly and so sadly afflicted, and the hosts of friends made by Mr. Tewksbury will not soon forget him.

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Contactor Stuart has commenced work on the cellar for the extension of the Hotel block, corner of Washington and Watertown streets. This will provide for a foundation for the new stores which are to form an addition to the main building.

The repairs and improvements upon the house of Mr. C. M. Whittlesey, Cherry street, are nearly completed and the exterior of the mansion has received the first coat of paint. When the work is completed, it will be one of the finest residences on the street.

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Frank Parker is enjoying the present week at Deer Isle, Me.

Mr. G. B. Bulard and family have returned from the seashore.

Mr. E. S. Merchant and family have returned from Rindge, N. H.

Mr. E. A. Kingman and family, River street, returned this week.

Albert Sawyer, Jr., is among vacationers who returned this week.

City Marshal Richardson has returned from his visit to Gardner, Me.

Nat Lane returned home Saturday evening from a business trip.

T. E. Stutson and family returned this week from North Falmouth.

Miss Elizabeth Ayles has returned from her visit to the mountains.

Mrs. L. H. Maynard, River street, has returned from a visit to Chelsea.

Herbert Felton has returned from a pleasant trip to the Rangeley Lakes.

Mr. Alfred L. Barbour and family returned this week from Cottage City.

Mrs. A. B. Potter and niece, Waltham street, have returned from Cottage City.

Mrs. H. E. Woodberry and family will return today from their visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cotting and son have returned from their trip to Portland, Me.

Miss Annie Jewett and Mrs. Burbank of Boston spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Elizabeth Padlock has returned from a pleasant vacation trip to Waterville, Me.

Mrs. Quincy has returned from her vacation, and her store is now open for business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Quimby and Mrs. W. H. Pettigrew have returned from Sandwhich, N. H.

The 1.30 train Sunday afternoon killed a valuable spaniel dog on the Washington street crossing.

Mrs. Stephen F. Cate and family returned Saturday from their summer cottage at Green Harbor.

F. and W. Clark's brown mare, Venus, has been entered in the 2:40 race at Framingham, Sept. 18th.

Mr. N. T. Allen, principal of the English and Classical school, has returned from Boston.

Mrs. E. Wood and Messrs. Harvey and Elijah Wood have returned from their recent trip to Buffalo.

Mr. Geo. D. Dix gave his men a holiday on Monday, which they spent very pleasantly at Nantasket Beach.

Mr. F. L. Humphrey has been elected

member of the executive committee of the State Firemen's Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Whittlesey of Cherry street have returned from a pleasant sojourn at Block Island.

Mrs. N. T. Allen and the Misses Allen have returned from Nantucket, where they have been enjoying their vacation.

Mr. W. A. Clark, of the Clark Mfg. Co., returned last week from a very successful trip through New England.

The caucus call of the Prohibition party was issued under the acts of 1888, in accordance with the Australian system.

City Auditor Otis has returned from his vacation, so tanned and invigorated that his friends hardly recognize him.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Davis have returned from Linekin, Me., where they have been spending a very pleasant vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Humphrey spent Sunday at Hingham and enjoyed themselves with friends at "an annual" clam-bake.

A man living on Cherry street has in his garden a cabbage plant with three heads and one stalk, which is quite a curiosity.

Miss Nellie Warren and Miss Edith Marsh, who have been spending the summer at Sandwich, N. H., are expected home next week.

Headstones have been placed on the Seth Davis lot in the Newton Cemetery, marking the graves of the deceased members of the family.

Messrs. Rube Cummings, H. W. Nichols, C. M. Kilbue, Jerry Saunders and Joseph Commons attended the state firemen's convention at Worcester last week.

Mr. Henry A. Innan was elected chairman and Mr. James F. Morton, Jr., secretary of the Prohibition caucus in Nicker-son's hall, last Saturday evening.

Alexander McCullough, while driving on River street, Sunday afternoon, collided with Peter Martin's carriage, and the latter was pretty badly damaged.

The second game of base ball between the Young Twins of West Newton and Pine Farm Club was played on Saturday last resulting in victory for the Pine Farm boys, 16 to 5.

At the Congregational church, Sunday morning, for the first time since his vacation, and preached a very interesting and instructive sermon.

James Mernagh of Waltham visited West Newton last Saturday afternoon and was defeated by the Newtons, being outplayed at every point.

The features of the game were the pitching and base running of Peters, the catching of Boyd, the batting and coaching of Cox and the pitching of of visiting pitchers. Theumping of Mr. Lester was very unsatisfactory to the home team. The score.

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and took the man in custody, removing him to the station until the arrival of his friends. His brother subsequently came after him and took care of him until his final removal to his home. On Sunday evening while in his brother's care, he was very wild and it required the strenuous exertions of two men to keep him in bed; his condition is, however, gradually improving.

Edward Ryan went to Waltham Tuesday evening to visit a man named Wheeler, who resides in the Chemistry district. He left Waltham's place about 11 o'clock and proceeded toward his home. According to Ryan's own statement, he had not been drinking, and had no unpleasant words with Wheeler or any member of his family. When he reached the old residence on Cherry street an unknown man jumped in front of him and ordered him to stop. Ryan sprang to one side and told the stranger that he would "knock his brains out" if he made any attempt to molest him. The man then cut across the street, when near the residence of the Rev. Kelley, he heard steps behind him. But before he could turn he was stabbed three times—once in the back of the neck,





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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Fresh Homeopathic medicines at Hahn's —Mr. L. Armstrong has removed to Nova Scotia.

—No milled up flannels when using Magic."

—Henry S. Williams is at the shore for a few days.

—The Centre clerks defeated picked nine this week.

—Mr. A. P. Roffe is building an extensive stable on his place.

—The Reed estate on Kimball street is occupied by Mr. Ashley.

—Miss Carrie F. Dudley returned Friday from Portland, Me.

—Prof. S. A. Emery and family returned this week from Pigeon Cove.

—Mr. John Briggs, Jr., has returned from an enjoyable vacation.

—Mrs. Lemuel C. Barnes is staying at Magnolia for a week or two.

—Mrs. S. A. Shannon and family have returned from Franconia, N. H.

—Mrs. M. O. Rice and family have returned to their Centre street home.

—Prof. Brown has returned from his vacation at Hampton Falls, N. H.

—Mr. Henry Wheeler has moved from the Coolidge block to South Boston.

—Miss Lizzie Smith of Summer street has returned from Gloucester, Mass.

—Mrs. H. E. Reed and Miss Alice Reed returned this week from Brant Rock.

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—Miss Ellen Cook of Pelham street has returned from her summer visit to Rhode Island.

—Mr. Stephen Emery and family returned Tuesday to their residence on Hancock avenue.

—Mr. Benjamin Hammond and family have returned to their residence on Ridge avenue.

—Mr. Lawrence Mayo of Homer street, and family returned from North Scituate Monday.

—Miss Eudora Bassett is at Roxbury, Mass., with her grandmother, Mrs. G. S. Cheney.

—Mr. H. E. Twombly and family of Crescent avenue have returned from their vacation.

—Miss Chadsey of Warren, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Moore on Summer street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Drennan with their daughter Dora, are taking a vacation at Plymouth.

—Rev. Dr. Butler and family have returned to their Crescent street home, from Pigeon Cove.

—Mr. Samuel Shannon and family of Moreland avenue returned from their vacation Monday.

—The Newton Centre clerks wish to meet the Highlands base ball club next Thursday.

—Mrs. L. G. Howes and family of Moreland avenue have gone to Clifton, Mass., on their vacation.

—Miss Elizabeth Friend has returned to Pelham street from a very enjoyable vacation in Maine.

—Mrs. A. C. Ferry and family of Pleasant street are expected home to-day from Boothbay, Me.

—Rev. Horace Wheeler returned on Wednesday from Mt. Desert, where he has been for three weeks.

—Two of the large shade trees in front of Mr. W. H. Hahn's apothecary store have been cut down.

—Dr. Bodge has so far recovered as to be able to take short walks, and he hopes soon to be fully recovered.

—Mr. Chas. D. Barry and family have returned from their vacation, to their residence on Station street.

—Mr. Wm. C. Avery has removed from Walnut Hill to the house corner of Crystal and Beacon street.

—Mr. D. S. Farnham and family have returned from Kennebunk Beach, Me., where they have spent the season.

—Mrs. E. H. Fennessy and daughter of Cedar street have returned from their summer's sojourn at Cottontown City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dewey have left Mrs. Thatcher's and are now settled in their home in Concord, N. H.

—Sidney Steeves, the contractor, is building a house on Norwood avenue for Mr. S. V. A. Hunter of Lake avenue.

—Mrs. Edward F. Cutler started on Tuesday for New Jersey, where she intends remaining a month or more.

—Mr. Henry Warren of Station street left on Wednesday for Chicago, and the different western states on business.

—Mr. Frank Pope of Ridge avenue left here on Wednesday for Maine, where he intends passing the next two weeks.

—Mr. D. W. Brownell and family have removed to the house recently occupied by Mr. W. B. Ranlett on Pelham street.

—Mrs. C. B. Garey of Lyman street is entertaining Mrs. Boothby and daughter, Mrs. Prentiss Jordan of Portland, Me.

—Waban station was entered by burglars Tuesday night and the ticket case broken open, but nothing of value was taken.

—Mr. L. R. Stevens and family contemplate an extended trip to Washington, D. C., and other places, in the near future.

—Rev. George M. Boynton and family returned this week from their summer's vacation and are at their home on Station street.

—Master Arthur Wade, son of Hon. Levi C. Wade, returned from Poplith Beach, Me., where he has been camping out.

—The class at the Institute is unusually large this year, and students and teachers were in their old places on Tuesday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Stevens and son returned the first of the week from Cape Cod, where they have been visiting relatives.

—Miss Annie Bassett, who has been the guest of Mrs. Joshua Parker at her sea shore home at Hyannis, returned this week.

—Mrs. C. A. Clark's family of Lake Avenue have returned from their summer stay at the Jefferson Hill House, White Mountains.

—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sanborn and Mrs. Sanborn's father, Mr. Foote of New York, are at the White Mountains for a few weeks.

—Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Holmes have returned home from their vacation and Rev. Mr. Holmes will occupy his pulpit as usual Sunday morning.

—Miss George Bucknam and Miss Ellen Baker, of the Mason school, have returned from their vacation, and are boarding with Miss Ella Hood.

—Miss Carrie Capron and her brother, Mr. Philip Capron, left the middle of the week for the mountains, where they intend passing a week or two.

—Robert Weir, the popular carriage driver at the depot, has gone to New Brunswick, where Mrs. Weir and child have been spending the summer.

—Mrs. Lecompte and children, with Miss Adelaide Deacon, returned the last week from Southwest Harbor, Me., where they have passed the summer.

—European letters from Rev. Dr. Clark say that his improvement in health is very noticeable, and that he is really surprised at his great gain in strength.

—Mrs. A. B. White of Summer street returned from Europe on the Anchorage, Sunday last, after most delightful trip through England and the Continent.

—Mrs. Cousins of Summer street returned this week from a short stay in Gardner. She has quite recovered her health after severe illness of nearly two years.

—The house at the corner of Institution avenue and Beacon street, recently purchased by Mr. Mellen Bray, is being extensively altered by Sidney Steeves and his carpenters.

—Rev. J. C. F. Grumbine of Syracuse, N. Y., will occupy the pulpit of the Unitarian church next Sunday morning. It is expected that the Sunday school will meet at 2 o'clock on the following Sunday.

—Mrs. J. B. Elliot, wife of Dr. Elliot of Centre street, died Tuesday morning in Worcester, Mass., where she has been spending the summer.

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—The Congregational Sewing Circle will hold its annual meeting in the chapel on Wednesday, for the choice of officers and other business matters.

—The boys are cautioned not to allow so much noise upon the base ball grounds, otherwise it will be declared a nuisance by the occupants of the adjoining premises.

—Mr. Alinsworth and family have moved into Mr. Stevens' house on Lincoln street, for a short stay, while Mr. W. C. Strong is having a house finished for their occupancy at Waban.

—Mr. J. W. Warren of Winchester street was united in marriage to Miss Cora Belle Arthur, at his residence, on Tuesday evening, Rev. Mr. Phipps performing the marriage ceremony.

—Mr. George H. Bryant left the Highlands on Monday, and will make a business trip to Denver and then on to Mexico, San Francisco and to Washington Territory, and expects to be absent until about Christmas.

—Miss Harriet Brooks returned from Europe on the fine steamer City of Paris, which made the ocean passage in five days, nineteen hours and twenty-three minutes. She expects to be at her post in High School next week.

—Miss Emma Stevens, who has been a teacher in one of the public schools at Dunbarton, N. H., after urgent solicitation, has returned there and will probably remain until after the next summer vacation, when she intends to attend a normal school.

—On Monday the Newton Base Ball club defeated the Red Stockings of Cambridge in a finely contested game, while all the players deserve a great deal of credit. The following plays were the most noticeable: The fielding of Levi, the fine ground stops of Fitz and Kimball, the double plays of Fitzgerald and the pitching of Kissler. The score was 6 to 4.

—On Labor day morning the Highlands base ball grounds were occupied by two South Boston clubs, who seemed to enjoy themselves with a friendly game. No kicking at the ruling of the Umpire; we did not hear the result of the game, but guess that the side that gave the Umpire that dollar won the game. Those who witnessed the game were satisfied that the Newton Highlanders air braced both sides for their day's pleasure. Come again.

—It is a pleasure for our citizens to witness the games of the Highlands club, but when such rowdiness as was displayed on the afternoon of Labor day, by those who accompanied the visiting club—the Red Stockings of Cambridge, it becomes a nuisance; the Red Stockings club behaved well (except a little kicking) and also played a sharp game, but this side the players did not do so well.

—Mrs. Edie Sharp is receiving a visit from two cousins from Worcester.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Chapman spent Sunday and Monday last at Crescent Beach.

—Mr. Robert Atchinson has taken to himself a wife and has gone to housekeeping on California street.

—Mr. Reuben Forkell is running the grocery wagon for Fletcher & Towne during Mr. Fletcher's illness.

—Mrs. Abraham Sampson has returned from Nova Scotia, where she has been spending the past four months.

—Last Monday afternoon the Young Men's Christian Association nine of Waltham played a game of ball on the rubber factory field with the Roslindale club, resulting in an easy victory for the Y. M. C. A. The grounds in Waltham were all taken up so that they were obliged to come here.

—Mrs. Edwina Leaver, new Maggie Feely, formerly of this

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—Francis Murdock &amp; Co. are offering

some great bargains in rugs.

—Rev. Mr. Titus' family have returned

from their western trip.

—John McCormack was injured by a fall

from a coal team last Monday.

—James McDonald of C. O. Tucker &amp; Co.

has recovered from his injuries.

—Miss Mabel Dyer has gone to Falmouth,

Mass., to accept a position as teacher.

—Miss Cora Lane is at home from Mil-

ford for a few days, visiting her parents.

—Be sure and attend your Republican

ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Mr. Welcome B. Hornbrook and family

have returned from their summer vacation.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Petersiles have

arrived home from their vacation in New

Hampshire.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fearing have re-

turned from Clifton, Mass., to their home on Park street.

—Mr. J. D. Kingsley of Waverly avenue

and family have returned from their summer

vacation.

—The Channing Sunday school will be

begin its services at twelve o'clock next Sun-

day, Sept. 15th.

—The Eliot chorus choir resumed its

activities for the first time after the summer

vacation last Sunday.

—Mr. Edward Buckingham left on Tues-

day for Germany, to continue his studies at

the German Universities.

—Women who mean to vote for school

committee should remember that the time

for assessment closes Oct. 1.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Paine have returned

from their wedding trip and are at their

home on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. U. C. Crosby and family returned

from Thursday from their summer's visit at the Alpine Inn.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Paine had the misfor-

tune to sprain his ankle last Friday, but he is

now able to attend to business again.

—Prof. Mater of Amherst preached two

very eloquent sermons at the Eliot church last

Sunday, after the large congregation.

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

## THE NEW MEMBERS SWORN IN AND BUSINESS RESUMED.

The board of aldermen met in special session, Monday night, Alderman Pettee in the chair, Mayor Burr being absent from the city. All the members were present but Alderman Johnson.

The result of the recent special election was declared, that E. S. Hamblen was elected alderman from Ward 7 and E. L. Collins councilman from Ward 5.

On motion of Alderman Tolman the common council was informed of the news, and Alderman-Elect Hamblen was duly sworn in by Alderman Pettee, and the common council informed of the fact.

A message from the common council stated that Ephraim S. Hamblen had resigned his seat in that body.

A communication from the overseers of the poor was received stating that a vacancy existed in that body by reason of the death of John Warner of Ward 7.

Alderman Hamblen moved that two aldermen and such as the common council might appoint be a committee to make a nomination to fill the vacancy. The motion passed and President Pettee appointed Aldermen Hamblen and Childs, and President Bond appointed Councilmen Rice, Forkell and Hall.

Alderman Tolman presented several communications from residents of Temple street, protesting against allowing any poles to be erected on that street; referred to highway committee.

Mr. Hinman and others asked for sidewalk on Central street; J. B. Holway, sidewalks on Chestnut street, Ward 5; referred to highway committee.

Councilman Hyde appeared with a message from the common council, stating that E. L. Collins had been duly qualified as a member of that body.

Alderman Chadwick read notice of intention to build, from Bernard Lovell, addition 12 by 15 to house on Gardner street; T. W. Mullen, house 28 by 30 on Centre street, Ward 5; H. H. Hunt, house 35 by 43 on Beacon street, and another 19 by 33 in Ward 4; J. J. Murphy, house 23 by 28 on Chase street, Ward 5.

A petition for leave to run wire from H. F. Ross's house, Washington street, W. Redpath's house, Highland avenue, was referred to the chief of fire department.

The petition to have a fire alarm signal station located at the corner of Shaw and Winthrop streets, the committee recommended that it be granted, and an order was passed appropriating \$125 for the purpose.

Alderman Harbach reported leave to withdraw on John Stearns' petition to have the city repair the road on Clark street, on the ground that the city was not liable.

Alderman Harbach reported in favor of granting the petition for a relocation of Boylston street, between Winchester and Parker, and also that part of Boylston street between Eliot street and the Charles river. An order was passed granting hearings for both relocations to all parties interested, on Oct. 21st, at 8 o'clock, before the board of aldermen, and Oct. 28, at 8.15 before the common council.

Alderman Harbach also reported an order which was passed, that the \$500 received for services and materials in the highway department in excess of the estimated receipts, be transferred to the appropriation for drains and culverts.

Alderman Chadwick reported on the petition of J. R. Dean and others for a chemical engine or hose carriage at Newton Highlands, and recommended that land be purchased for site, at a cost not to exceed \$2,500, and that provision be made for this appropriation in the estimates for 1890.

Alderman Chadwick also presented an order granting a license for the removal of a small out-building from the Claffin school lot to Cross street.

## A HEARING

was then given on Mr. T. L. Mason's petition for license to move building from the old Fuller estate down Nonantum Place to his lot. Alderman Childs said he had endorsed the petition, with the statement that the building could be moved without encroaching on any public or private property.

Mr. Mason said that he wished to move the house on to his lot and fit it up for a dwelling house, to rent. It would have about 10 rooms, and no public or private property would be harmed by the removal.

Mr. McLean, who is to have charge of the moving, said that he had measured the street and the house, and that all danger of interference with any one might be removed, they would cut the building so that it would not be quite 20 feet wide. In answer to Alderman Childs he stated that Mr. Stearns' house encroached on the street line some five or six feet, that if the street was laid out on a straight line.

Mr. G. S. Brazer said that Mr. W. H. Stearns had wished him to appear and object, as he thought it would be a detriment to his property. The residents had spent \$10,000 to abolish old houses, and they did not want any more placed there. They objected to so many small houses in that neighborhood. In reply to Alderman Childs, he admitted that Mr. Stearns had threatened to sue to the first Irishman he could find, if the house was moved there. Mr. Brazer was rather sharply cross-questioned by Alderman Childs and the hearing was then closed.

Alderman Childs then made an eloquent speech in favor of granting the petition, stating that Mr. Mason was a worthy citizen who had come to Newton to live, had built up a good business here, had bought a house and intended to make his home here. No objections were raised to the removal till Mr. Stearns came back and made his threat. Mr. Mason owned a large vacant lot and he wished to make it pay him something. The moving would only hurt two limbs of some cherry trees on Mrs. Brazer's place, and it would be an improvement to have these limbs cut off, and he moved that the original petition be granted.

Alderman Childs said the only question the board had to decide was whether the removal would injure public or private property. If not they had no option in the matter.

Alderman Hamblen said it was a rather new question to him, but he did not think the removal would hurt anything on the street.

Alderman Childs said he was willing to guarantee that there would be no injury, and the license was then granted.

W. O. Knapp asked for street lamp in front of his house on Walnut street, and Chas. S. Davis and S. A. Emery for two street lamps on Hancock street.

A recess of 15 minutes was then taken, after which Alderman Tolman pre-

sented from the finance committee an order appropriating \$2,100 to the Board of Health instead of the \$2,500 asked for. The board had already exceeded their appropriation by \$458, and an estimate of their expenses for the rest of the year was only \$37 over the amount recommended, and he thought they would get along with that. The order was passed by a yeas and nays vote, and the money charged to unexpended balances or to next year's appropriation.

An order was passed, appropriating \$200 to be paid to Harry W. Mason, for services for the assessors, in making abstracts of deeds, after which the board adjourned.

## The Common Council.

In the Common Council all the members were present save Councilman Ransett. E. L. Collins was sworn in as member from Ward Five, and an order passed notifying the Board of Aldermen of the vacancy from Ward Seven.

Resolutions were presented, testifying to the board's appreciation of their late member, E. S. Hamblen, who had gone up higher, to the board of aldermen, and expressing their admiration of his faithful service.

Concurrent business was disposed of. The order appropriating \$10,000 for the Newton Centre playground gave rise to quite a debate, Messrs. Hyde and Richardson advocating it, and Messrs. Wiswall, Luke and Fenn opposing. The order was finally passed 9 to 3, which, as there was one vacancy on the board, made a two-thirds vote.

The order appropriating \$500 for the removal of the pipe works was laid on the table, as it was doubted whether the sum was sufficient for the purpose.

On motion of Councilman Wiswall a resolution was presented, expressing it as the opinion of the city council that all land purchased by the city for public playgrounds, should be forever kept open and used for that purpose.

The council then adjourned.

## The Governorship.

[Lyman Transcript.]

It is not presumable that the Vice-President of the United States ever entertains a serious idea that is heir apparent to the chair of State.

These remarks are only general; they are not inspired by a particle of prejudice against our dignified, courteous and we believe, conscientious, Lieutenant-Governor. But we do believe that the time has come for the nomination of a man of more years and wider experience and consequently greater achievement than Mr. Brackett. We believe that Mr. Crapo is that man.—With his twelve years of Congressional experience, and the numerous mercantile positions which he has held and still holds and fills to the great satisfaction of a varied constituency. We commend the sketch of his life and public services, which we publish today, to the attentive perusal of our readers. It will be remembered that he was a candidate for the nomination in 1882. Whatever might have been the result had he then been nominated it is idle to conjecture; but no unprejudiced and intelligent man doubts that he can be elected this year. With a view to the preliminary step to such a consummation, we urge our friends to attend the caucuses next Thursday evening.

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## Fair Exchange, no Robbery.

Two men once established themselves on opposite banks of a broad river. By-and-by both men erected two large mills, one each for the manufacture of woolen goods and one each for the manufacture of metallic goods. In studying their estimates for machinery, John found that he could equip his woolen mill with the best machinery by keeping 100 men at work 100 days, but to make the machinery for the metal working mill he must keep 100 men working 150 days; total 100 men at work 250 days. On the other hand Sam found out that his 100 men could not make the machines for his woolen mill in less than 150 days, whereas they could easily make the machinery for the other mill in 100 days. John thereupon proposed that with his 100 men he should make two sets of woolen machinery, which would take 200 days; and that Sam's men should make two sets of metal-working machinery which also would take 200 days. Then John would exchange his extra set of woolen-making machines for Sam's extra set of metal-working machines. The exchange would take the 200 men 1 day's work—John would have his mill equipped and have 100 men ready to work 49 days extra, and Sam's gain would be the same. Total gain to the two villages 49 day's work of 200 men. But Sam said, "What river is this?"—and when the people said, "The St. Lawrence," Sam said the exchange was impossible. So Sam's workmen worked 250 for what they might have got in 200 days; and John made his exchange with some one else further up the river, and John's workmen had 49 days extra time in which they made other useful things. Sam says if the river had been called "Ohio" he would have been glad to make the exchange. Why?

## A Plain Talk About Wages.

## 1. WHAT WAGES ARE.

A great deal of the misunderstanding on the subject of wages arises from the notion that wages are money. Wages are not money; wages are a house, fuel, clothing, food, travels, books, tools. Gold and silver are of no value until they are exchanged for these real wages. High wages are a comfortable home, warmth in winter, abundant clothing, bountiful and wholesome food, opportunity for travel, books and time to read them, the very best tools of trade. Low wages are an unhealthy tenement, a bushel of cinders, ragged garments, hunger, no chance for change of air or companions, no reading but the latest murder, poor tools or borrowed ones. One dollar a day may be high wages; ten dollars a day may be low wages. If we could all stop thinking of wages as pounds, shillings and pence, or as dollars, cents and mills; and begin to think of wages as life, that is food, raiment, shelter, and progress, a good deal of the difficulty in the problem would be overcome at once.

## 2. HOW WAGES ARE PRODUCED.

How are houses made? By work. How are clothing and fuel produced? By work. How can the earth be made to yield food? By work. Railroads, and books, and too, and so, whence come they? From work. What makes wages, then, for all these things are wages? Evidently work makes wages. Labor of hand and head brings forth dwellings and garments and railroads and bread. Wages then come from labor, labor of hand and head. But not all work produces; and work which does not produce cannot make wages. If John throws stones from one side of the fence to the other side today, and tomorrow throws them back and next day then overcomes me, and so, and sometimes, he produces nothing, he makes no wages, neither houses, nor food, nor clothing, nor anything. Perhaps he gets some of these things, but he earns nothing. Few men perhaps pursue labor quite so fruitfully as John's, but many men do work that produces very little, directly or indirectly.

## 3. HOW WAGES ARE RAISED.

If wages are houses; then more houses mean more wages; if wages are food and fuel and clothing; then more food and fuel and clothing must mean more wages. Now, to have more houses and clothing and food and fuel we must make that is work; and so, whence come they? To work more doesn't mean to work longer, but to work more intelligently. Make more wages and you will have more wages. Yes, some one replies, if more good things are produced there will be more of them in the world, more of them in the nation, but the real workingman doesn't get any more. Let us see. To make sure that this trouble-some tariff question won't confuse us we will consider wages in England and America. In 1846 England practically adopted free-trade; between 1846 and 1880 wages in England doubled. What does that mean? Simply that in 1880 English workingmen, the pauper laborers, get twice as good homes, twice as good clothing, twice as much and better food, twice the opportunity to grow and to enjoy, that they did in 1846. These are facts not theories. On this side the Atlantic we had in 1846 a low protective tariff to which we have made since most tremendous additions; between 1846 and 1880 wages in America doubled. More food, better clothing, pleasanter homes, greater leisure, have come to American laborers as to English laborers. In both cases the same simple, effective, reason—increased production! Wheat is wages, cotton is wages, cattle are wages, woolens are wages, hardware is wages, books are wages, roads and bridges, and cars, and boats, are wages; fuel is wages; and England and America today can produce by every man's toil twice as much

(perhaps more) of wheat, and cotton, and cattle, and woolens, and hardware, and books, and all good things. We know that the things have been made, and we see that the workingmen have them, as they never before have had them.

## 4. HOW WAGES ARE LOWERED.

Wages must fall when fewer things are produced. If we raise but half as much wheat this year as last we shall have but half as much, and what we have will make the wage rate. Include everything, wheat, corn, potatoes, manufacture, all things make this year but half as much as we did last. Who suffers? We, who have only half as much as we had last year, we suffer. If strikes and lockouts and riots and fires and floods decrease the nation's store of food and fuel and clothing; the nation will have less food and fuel and clothing; and John the hodcarrier will have less, as well as John the banker. If men who work ten hours a day can produce more than men who work eight hours a day an eight hour law will be a law to decrease wages. If Germany chooses to uniform, feed, and house 500,000 of her best workmen, and keep them idle, wages must stay down. China will have no sewing machines nor other foreign devils. She forbids her people to produce more, and so she keeps wages low. Genius tunnels the Alps and increases production; French folly blocks one end of the tunnel and Italian idiocy the other, till we wonder what the tunnel is for. Enterprise and invention brings the products of the world to our ports; the ports are blockaded by a stupid tariff. Energy makes an iron road by which protection makes the road a toll road. The little story above of John and Sam is no nursery fable but a serious condition. The law that forbids us to exchange our unexposed machinery in return for the superior woolen machinery of England actually compels us to labor 10 hours for what we can do in 8 hours. What right has Congress to rob the nation of 2 hours' toll? Distribution exchange, is the final step without which production is wasted. Protection claims to increase production and begins by decreasing distribution. It is as if a physician should attempt to stimulate digestion and assimilation by stopping the circulation. To say that protection makes high wages is like saying that the less you make the more you will have. But protection is worse than silly, it is insulting. How?

## EXCAVATION OF DELPHI.

## AN APPEAL FOR FUNDS FOR THIS IMPORTANT WORK.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

The readers of the circular, issued by the Archaeological Institute, are asked to spread as widely as possible the information which it contains. It is not easy to exaggerate the impetus which classical scholarship would gain from an excavation of the world famed site of Delphi. Art, architecture, history and literature would receive fresh light from a revelation of the treasures, which have been, for so many centuries, hidden. It is to be hoped that American patriotism may not be wounded by a neglect to embrace this opportunity which is offered to us, and that we may not fall behind Germany and France, countries which have already conducted excavations of great importance.

The "American School of Classical Study at Athens" is an organization fitted to the supervision of this work of excavation. It is under the general direction of Dr. Charles Waldstein, the most eminent of American archaeologists, and under the special superintendence of some one of the professors of Greek of the contributing universities and colleges. Students receive, gratuitously, personal direction in their archaeological research and study, and not merely students in the school but all American travellers receive the courteous assistance of the director and enjoy the advantage of the fine library.

I am personally so deeply indebted to the American school for the pleasure and profit of my weeks in Greece, that I make only a proper acknowledgement in testifying to the practical efficiency and to the scholarly value of its work.

MARY WHITON CALKINS.

THE CIRCULAR states that the Greek Government has offered to the Archaeological Institute of America, the concession of the privilege to excavate the site of Delphi, provided the sum required for the expropriation of the village of Kastri, now standing on the site, should be obtained before the first of December next.

The Institute has adopted resolutions, appealing to the public for the \$75,000 required, and promising to take charge of the work, for five years, under the management of the American school at Athens, and pledging the income of the Institute, after the necessary expenses have been met, for five years.

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The precise sum required to secure the expropriation of the ground, and to compensate the inhabitants of Kastri, whose houses now occupy the site of Delphi, cannot be stated. It is probable that this sum must be secured before the Greek Government will grant the concession. The amount has been determined approximately by the survey and estimates of two commissions of French and Greek engineers. It is for this sum, therefore, that we ask the public.

The circular is signed by Prof. Chas. Eliot Norton, President, Henry Dressler,

Vice President, Wm. W. Goodwin, Martin Brimmer, and other members of the council of the Institute, by Thomas D. Seymour, chairman of the managing committee of the American School at Athens, and others, who will gladly furnish further information.

## History Repeating Itself.

"Listen to me, Maud!"

The voice of the young man trembled with the intensity of his passion.

"From my home in the shadow of Bunker Hill monument I have come to plead with you, Maud. I have taken a solemn vow that I will neither eat, drink— that I will neither eat nor sleep, I mean," he continued, "till this, the most momentous question of my whole life is settled once for all."

The glorious dark eyes of the proud Monumental City girl sank beneath his burning gaze. Her cheek glowed with an unwonted flush, and she tapped the carpet irresolutely with her foot. She was not to be won without a struggle, but her heart pleaded for the youth who stood before her.

"Mr. Backsorrel," she said, "are there not differences of temperament, irreconcilable prejudices relating to locality, pride of ancestry, civic loyalty, and—"

"All these, Maud!" he protested vehemently, "are mere straws that may float on the surface, but are powerless to stay the progress of the irresistible passion that sweeps me on and that will bear you, too, on its bosom, my proud beauty, in spite of the influences that—"

"Have a care, Mr. Backsorrel!" exclaimed the imperious maiden, her eyes flashing. "The old Boston ideas of coercion are—"

"Are distasteful to the patrician intrepidity and majestic selfhood of Baltimore's blue-blooded nobility. I know it, Maud. But love sweeps away all barriers, levels all ranks, obliterates all local landmarks, and changes the face of nature."

The maiden shook her head and sighed tremulously.

"Would—would it change deep-rooted and inbred convictions and preferences, Mr. Backsorrel. As to habits of daily living, involving such questions as literature, recreation, die—"

"Die?" the girl broke in. "It would! With the communion of soul with soul there would come to you in time a calm tolerance of that which is leguminous and brain-producing. With the longings of my heart satisfied, I could raise my hand and swear by every impulse of my being, every fibre of my frame, that my physical nature needed treppin' on. Maud!" he exclaimed rapturously, as he folded the radiant Southern beauty in his arms and drew her to his bosom, "in the arena of love have not Boston endurance and habits of training triumphed over Baltimore even as—as the other day, you know, down in Mississippi—in short, is not history repeating itself?"

"It is, Harold," she murmured, with her head on the young man's shoulder. "I throw up the sponge." [Chicago Tribune.]

## The Real Issue.

Templeton, the Boston correspondent of the Hartford Courant, expects to see the republican party of Massachusetts right itself this year, and the grounds of his belief follow:—

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## Sensible Action.

(Boston Herald.)

The Republicans of Newtonville did a wise as well as a just thing, in asking that the Democratic postmaster of that locality be retained. This because that Democratic postmaster is efficient in the office. It is simply absurd for men to put themselves to inconvenience and injure their own interests for the sake of having a man of one stripe of politics rather than another to receive and deliver their letters. Party sentiment may be satisfied by thus punishing a postmaster, and party sympathies may be gratified by rewarding a party associate with him; but party interests are much more likely to be injured than aided by such an act. There are appointed rivals, who are likely to be offended, and there is the public in which there are plenty of men to resent the change of a satisfactory postmaster for one who, at the best, is an experiment.

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## ATTEND THE CAUCUSES.

The Republican caucuses on Saturday evening of this week are of more than usual importance, as the stand taken by Newton will have a considerable effect upon the campaign for the governorship. We believe that the majority of Republicans in Newton would prefer to see Mr. Crapo governor, rather than Mr. Brackett, but unfortunately they are Republicans who seldom go near a caucus, and think they have discharged their whole duty if they vote on election day. For this reason they generally have no influence in nominating the men for whom they have to vote, and that matter is attended to by a small number of voters who are perfectly willing to take all the trouble that may be involved.

It is time for a reform in this direction, and it is hoped that tomorrow evening there will be a full attendance at the various ward caucuses. Let the stay at homes come out for once and make their influence felt.

The question as to the candidate for governor is a rather serious one this fall, and as this is an off year, and the Democrats have an unusually popular and able candidate, who will be difficult to defeat, unless the Republicans put up their strongest man. In the opinion of the older and wiser leaders of the party, Mr. Crapo is that man, and for that reason he should be nominated.

The claims made for Mr. Brackett, that he is in the direct line of succession, has never been recognized in Massachusetts, and if followed it would give each administration a direct mortgage upon its successor. If Mr. Brackett should be nominated and elected, then Mr. Johnson, or whoever is chosen lieutenant-governor, would make the same claim when another change comes round, and so on ad infinitum, which would bind the state to a policy so fruitful of mischief, that a Democratic interregnum might be necessary to break up what some have called the state house ring. Mr. Brackett has no more claim on the governorship than Vice-President Morton will have on the presidency.

The situation is a very simple one. It is voted that will be needed this fall. Mr. Brackett would receive the regular Republican vote, probably, which would be cast for any Republican who was nominated, whatever his record or ability. Mr. Crapo would not only receive this vote, but also that of the men who have got into the unfortunate habit of voting for the best man, irrespective of party. If success is desired, it is clearly the part of wisdom to choose the candidate who would poll the largest vote, and whose nomination would bring the most strength to the party. It is such men as Mr. Crapo who are needed at the front, in an off year when party ties sit very lightly on the average Republican, and when also the Australian ballot bill will come in to complicate matters. The state and country need more men who will look upon "public office as a public trust" as Mr. Crapo said in a state convention several years ago.

Let us have a full attendance at the caucuses, and an expression of the real sentiment of Newton Republicans.

## THE NEWTONVILLE CAUCUS.

The Republicans of Newtonville have decided to put their post office on a business basis, and when they find a satisfactory postmaster, they evidently do not believe in making a change. This is the policy every good business man pursues and we hope the day will come when it will prevail in all the post offices of the country. The Newtonville post office, for instance, was never in such a satisfactory condition as it is under Mr. Turner. He has succeeded in getting an office fitted up that is a credit to the city; he has added more conveniences than were ever thought of under any former postmaster, and has done this by persistency and hard work. The people have found him a model of courtesy, and they do not like to make a change simply because he is a Democrat.

The caucus was more largely attended than caucuses usually are, every Republican had a chance to express his choice by means of a ballot, and the vote was practically unanimous for the retention of Mr. Turner.

Some criticism has been made because it is said that there was no opportunity

for a debate, but in this the caucus was wise. Every attendant had his mind made up, there were no new facts to be developed and a debate could not have changed a single vote. Besides, among old neighbors and friends, if the debate had got at all warm, as political debates are apt to do, things might have been said that would have been regretted by the speakers. The statement made in the Boston Daily Journal that a great many left the hall, because all debate had been shut off, was so far out of the way that by actual count only seven persons left the hall, and seven votes would not have had much effect, as Mr. Turner had 85. The caucus seems to have been fairly conducted, all had an equal chance, the opponents of Mr. Turner had nothing to prevent their coming out and voting, and as it was decided to leave the decision to a caucus, the vote of the caucus ought to be binding.

Newtonville has set a worthy example for other places to follow, in deciding to take the post office out of politics, and making it a business institution. Mr. Turner has proved his fitness for the position, and it is good business as well as good common sense and good politics to retain him. Mr. Colton is a gentleman whom all respect, and nothing can be said against him as a candidate if the office was vacant, but Mr. Turner has the experience, he has proved his fitness, and there is no valid reason for his removal. When a postmaster gives good satisfaction, he ought to be retained, and the demoralization of the railway postal service the past summer, shows the foolishness of mixing up politics and business. Every weekly or daily paper of large circulation has been troubled the past summer by the failure of papers to reach out of town subscribers, and this is due solely to the removal of competent postal clerks and the substitution of inexperienced hands, all on account of politics. It is to be hoped that civil service reform will prove to be something more than a name, and the people have a right to demand this, as far as the postal service is concerned.

## DISCIPLINE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

One of the committees of the School Board presented a report at the last meeting upon a subject that is of very great importance. Now that public sentiment seems to be against the use of the rod as an aid to discipline, the question arises, what is there our teachers can do to subdue refractory pupils and to compel obedience to wholesome rules?

Detention after school hours, loss of standing in the class, and temporary suspension from the privileges of the school, are three means of discipline now recognized. These are, however, entirely too weak to meet some cases.

The ordinary pupil gives but little trouble, but there are probably from two to five out of every fifty pupils who are determined to make things uncomfortable for everyone else. The present discipline is too feeble to restrain them. They care nothing for a brief period of detention, nor for loss of class standing, nor for being suspended for a few days or a week. In fact suspension gives them better opportunity to roam about the streets. It becomes then a very serious problem to know how to deal with such pupils. The remedy suggested by the report referred to is to drop them out of the public schools altogether. It is claimed that our schools are not intended for such pupils, and that our teachers are not employed as police officers or as guardians of pupils who can only be restrained when the whole attention of the teacher is given to them.

It is usually thought that our schools must receive all young people who apply, but they are really intended only for such as will obey the necessary and wholesome rules which have been adopted. There is no genuine kindness in bearing with a persistently disobedient pupil. His influence over others is too injurious to permit his retention. His refusal to obey shows that the public school is not the place for him.

This subject is one in which every parent is interested, for if our schools are to be safe places for children in general, something must be done to create greater willingness on their part to come under needful subjection. It will make a very important change in this whole matter of school discipline if it becomes an accepted principle, understood by parents and children, that a few disorderly pupils in a class shall no longer absorb the time and strength of a teacher. It has sometimes been suggested that every large district ought to have one teacher whose class should be composed entirely of these irregular and troublesome children who cannot get along well in the ordinary classes. There would be no attempt at grading such a class, for it would be composed of pupils of varying ages and capacities. This expedient of separating the crooked cases might check some who otherwise must find their way to the Reform School or House of Correction.

Whatever may be the best course for them or any like them, it is very clear that our regular teachers have as much as they can do now to instruct the average members of their classes. They have no time or strength to give to those who are determined to be troublesome and neglectful.

HON. ALDEN SPEARE appeared before the Senate committee on our relations with Canada, and continued the excellent work he began before the interstate commerce committee. He stood up boldly for the interests of Boston and New England, and gave the committee many important facts to consider. In his testimony on Wednesday he backed up his arguments with figures which there was no disputing. He said that he believed reciprocity to be for the mutual interest of the United States and Canada, and that Canadian coal, iron ore and pig iron

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THE BOSTON TRAVELLER has been interviewing prominent citizens of Brookline, and does not find any general sentiment in favor of the project to set Brookline off into a new county, although many favor its annexation to Suffolk county at some time in the future. In regard to Geo. M. Towle's candidacy for the senatorship, one of the shrewdest gentlemen of Brookline said that his nomination would be an unwise action on the part of the Republicans, which would possibly result in a defeat at the polls. He did not think that Towle commanded more than a small proportion of the party vote, and instanced his past unsuccessful attempts to get the nomination as representative, councillor or senator. Somehow Mr. Towle, although very active in politics, has never been a very successful seeker after office, although his ambition generally goes up one peg higher at each defeat. He will probably try to capture the nomination for congress next year, if defeated for senator, and then we suppose he will try for the governorship.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN announces that he will accept nomination to Congress, and if money entitles a man to be chosen, why should not muscle. There is to be said in his favor, that Senator Blackburn would not dare to pull his ear, and we should be spared such mortifying scenes as the Chandler episode. Besides, John L. would make a straight party man, which some of the political organs have been claiming as the highest merit a candidate can have. If we can not have any Webster or Adams to represent us, we can console ourselves with the reflection that Massachusetts could still lead the procession by sending Sullivan, "the champion of the world." With such a representative, no wild westerner would dare to call us "the effete east," and when one looks up the list of Congressmen, John L.'s ambition does not seem so very ridiculous. He could not be any worse than Riddleberg, for instance.

SPEAKER BARRETT has at last come out for Brackett, but it is plainly hinted that he was forced to show his hand in order to secure his renomination for representative from Melrose. It is also said that he will not secure the renomination without strong opposition.

THE Newton Horticultural Society have decided not to hold an exhibition this fall, as it is thought that there may be a little more variety, if the exhibitions are only held once in two or three years.

THE vacany in the office of councilman from Ward 7 will probably not be filled until the state election. The interests of the ward will certainly be well taken care of in the meantime.

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THE Boston Journal well says that Mr. Crapo as governor would give a dignity and honor to the office which would recall the best days of the past. He has qualities of commanding excellence which have been amply tested in other fields of public service, and to marked ability and knowledge of public affairs he adds a blamelessness of personal character and an absence of entangling relations with the less reputable political elements and forces which would ensure a maintenance of the highest standards. He can surely be nominated if those who desire his nomination bestir themselves to a reasonable activity, and if nominated he can certainly be elected.

THE Congregational church of Newton Centre is planning to hold a celebration of the 225th anniversary of the First Congregational church of Newton, in October, and for that purpose they would like to receive some information of the portrait of Rev. Jonathan Homer, painted in 1827 by Miss Sarah Freeman Clarke. It at one time is supposed to have belonged to the late Dr. J. H. Dix of Boston, but all trace of it has been lost. The committee would also like to secure any memorials of the old church, or of any of the other early ministers, and have a communication in another column.

THE friends of Mr. Brackett have managed very shrewdly, and their apparent lead at present is due to the fact that in all the sure Brackett towns the caucuses were called early for effect on the campaign. The Brackett leaders are certainly shrewd politicians, who have a knack at managing caucuses, gained from experience. The friends of Mr. Crapo will have to be wide awake, or the strong popular sentiment in his favor will not be properly represented at the State convention.

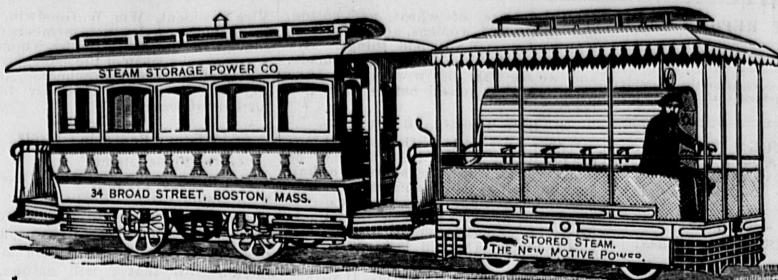
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THE death of Congressman Cox removes one of the prominent political leaders of the country, a man who while a strong partisan, yet endeavored to serve his country honestly. He was best known as a humorist, but he had more ability and more statesmanship than he received credit for. Men laughed at his wit and overlooked the sound arguments to be found in his speeches.

THE Brookline Chronicle, Congressmen Candler's organ, recommends the repeal of the tobacco tax as a short and



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—Ex-Mayor Kimball has been at Sorrento this week.

—Miss Jennie Clark is visiting her cousin, Mr. C. E. Clark, Eddy street.

—Mrs. C. E. Atherton is spending a few weeks with her sister in Detroit.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Whiting are receiving congratulations. It is a boy.

—Mrs. E. Bradshaw has been confined to the house by illness the past week.

—Postmaster Turner is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday, night.

—Dalhousie Lodge, F. & A. M., will have its installation of officers next Wednesday evening.

—Miss N. L. Ingraham, who has been visiting at Mr. D. C. Heath's, has returned to Stamford, Conn.

—Mrs. Geo. Johnson has returned from Lakefield, Ontario, where she has been spending the summer.

—Dr. Hopkins and wife have returned to their home on Newtonville avenue, after a delightful summer trip.

—The new chairs for the Methodist church vestry are expected to be in position for use next Sunday.

—Mr. A. A. Savage and five friends from Charlestown start next Monday on their annual fishing trip in Maine.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw was chosen secretary of company H., at the reunion of the 39th regiment held at Bedford on Wednesday.

—Mr. C. J. Maynard, the taxidermist, contemplates starting very soon for South America, where he will spend the winter.

—The following from Newtonville are registered at the New Victoria Hotel, John, N. B.; L. H. Crant, Mrs. R. Crant, and Henry Wandless.

—Mr. F. S. Andison is home from his summer at Cottage City, where he had a very pleasant and successful season, as the letter in last week's paper proved.

—Rev. R. A. White contemplates giving a series of illustrated lectures very soon, the subject including Ireland, Castles on the Rhine, and Phases of Life in Switzerland.

—About twenty-six of the "country week children" were received by members of the Universalist church. It is needless to say that the children heartily enjoyed their outing.

—Newton royal arch chapter observed its 10th anniversary very appropriately Monday evening with the installation of officers, music by the Temple quartet and a collection.

—Several lady correspondents wish us to state that if the ladies of the ward had met in town over the postmaster, Mr. Turner would have received the vote of every lady in the ward.

—The V. P. S. C. E. will hold the first meeting of the season at the Universalist church next Sunday evening at half past six. It is to be followed by an informal service of song at 7:30.

—Wm. T. Vose and family return this week from their summer among the White Mountains. Miss Nellie A. Vose has been spending a couple of weeks at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

—Ex-Governor Claffin appeared before the senate committee on Thursday, and spoke in favor of reciprocity, especially as far as the shoe and leather business is concerned, which he thought would be greatly benefitted by a free interchange of goods with Canada.

—C. N. Allen & Co. have opened a store in the Tremont building, where they have a full line of Magee furnaces, parlor stoves and ranges. They are also prepared to do their usual corrogated conductors, etc. All orders will receive prompt attention. See All orders will receive prompt attention.

—The Adams school shows but little change in last year's attendance. The teachers without exception are the same, only "one year older," as Mr. Spiney remarked. One year more of experience and greater ability thereby, to instruct those who come under their charge.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., has been busy this week packing up his furniture for removal to his new home in Newark, N. J., and it is to be loaded on the cars to-day. He will remain with the church here the present month, and will preach his farewell sermon the last Sunday in the month.

—The opening of the Claffin school has been delayed by the preparation for the new schoolhouse and the building, which will not be completed until after the Washington Park, is not yet ready for its occupants. It will take nearly two weeks yet to prepare it for use, although the work is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

—At the High school there have been some changes. The incoming class of 180 members is considerably larger than usual, swelling the fourth class to the largest number it has ever had. But to counterbalance this the first class the coming year will be smaller than usual. Of the teachers Miss Mabel Davis is still in Europe and Miss Chisholm is substituting until her return.

—The Central Congregational Society met last Friday evening and voted to accept the resignation of Rev. Mr. Mitchell. A committee was appointed to meet with the pastor in calling a council to dissolve the relations between church and pastor.

—The church passed a similar vote sometime before and adopted a series of resolutions referring in very complimentary terms to their pastor, and expressing the sorrow of all that is to leave.

—Officer Clay had quite an exciting time with a drunken man, whom he went to arrest for abusing his horse, last Saturday night. Officer Clay got into the buggy to return to West Newton, but the horse seized one end and whipped the horse, causing it to run round in a circle until both men were thrown out and the buggy was smashed. Officer Clay hung on to his man, however, and took him to the lockup.

—Patrick Doyle, milkman, and Wm. Hill both had a very narrow escape from the 5:26 p. m. inward train at the Walnut street crossing, Wednesday. The Boston & Albany road is very negligent in not having a flagman there, as this is one of the most frequented crossings in Newton. Such accidents have happened through lack of proper precaution on the part of the railroad company. One gatekeeper alone is not sufficient.

—Mr. Wm. P. Tyler, president of the Tyler Steel Tube Mill at Boston South was married last Wednesday evening to Miss Alice M. Sullivan, of Newtonville, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Chas. E. Davis. The ceremony was very quiet and informal, and was performed by the Rev. Julian C. Jaynes of the Unitarian church of West Newton. In the small number of friends and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Tyler left on the eleven o'clock express train for New York, and took the steamship Columbia, of the Hamburg line, Thursday for Europe, and will be absent about two months.

—Mr. Abbott Bassett, secretary of the L. A. W., is sending out a very neat little book on "Improvement of Highways," which all interested in road making should have. It contains four articles: "Our Country Roads," by one of the most experienced makers in the country. "Practical on the Art of Road Making," by Gleason, H. H. school. (Prize essay for which the State of Massachusetts awarded a prize of \$400.) "Nature and uses of Asphalt," by Capt. F. V. Greene, New York. "Compressed Trinadid Asphalt Blocks," by Walter S. Wilkinson, Baltimore. "A Specimen Road Bill," for the consideration of Legislators.

The book may be had of the Secretary of the L. A. W. by enclosing a two cent stamp.

—Herbert R. Cunningham, a clerk for Soley, Gay & Dorr of Boston, and arrested for embezzeling \$5,000 from the firm, pleaded guilty to that this morning. Judge Staples, presiding for him, Mr. Soley, the firm testifying to the methods used by the prisoner in taking the money, and as to the condition of the firm's books.

—The government called no other witnesses, and the defense called to testify to the previous good character of the prisoner, Rev. Rufus A. Nichols, Charles E. Davis, H. T. Tinkham, John E. Tinkham, H. T. Tinkham, all of Newtonville. Mr. Slocum asked that the young man be given a chance to reform and be taken on probation. Judge Staples said that he thought the law was intended to uphold principle and not sentiment. He also spoke of the tendency to deal strictly with those who, having got into a home, have got into it in a more favorable position. His honor then sentenced the defendant to the reformatory at Concord for an indefinite term.

—The poll taxes are coming in very promptly this year, as voters wish to avoid the rush just before the 15th.

—Mr. Packard of Waltham is building a large addition to the old Hyde house on Cherry street near the Waltham line.

—Mr. Everett Palmer, the genial clerk at A. F. Wright's drug store, will leave next week to enter the college of pharmacy.

—Miss Annie M. Hale will attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. David Hale, of Springfield, on the 18th inst.

—The lawn party given by the ladies of the M. E. church on the Seminary grounds, Monday afternoon and evening was a success in spite of the unfavorable weather. About fifty dollars were cleared to add to the church fund.

—James Pealey's house, Derby street, was entered early Monday evening and his trunk broken open. Nothing was taken.

—Miss Calista S. Wood resumed her duties as principal of the Barnard school, this week, much invigorated by her year's vacation.

—President Bond has returned from his vacation in New Hampshire, and presided at the common council meeting Monday night.

—The large force of men and teams at work on the Valentine estate are making a decided change in the appearance of that locality.

—The house of R. B. Conroy on Derby street was entered by officers last Thursday in search of spirituous liquors, but nothing was obtained.

—Mrs. W. B. Colligan and little daughter are spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd, Moody street, Waltham.

—Miss C. E. Marsh will be prepared to receive pupils on the piano after the 20th. Miss Marsh is an experienced and very successful teacher.

—Fred S. Dall, James Duane of '89 and Eggleston of '89 of Newton, all enter the Harvard Medical school this fall.

—The many friends of Mrs. Wilder M. Bush will be glad to learn that she is surely, although slowly, recovering from her long and severe illness.

—Mr. Eugene Crockett returned this week from a fortnight's study in the New York hospital and is again at the City Hospital in Boston.

—Notice is given in another column that money deposited in the West Newton Savings bank on or before Oct. 5th, will draw interest for the next quarter.

—The Atheneum reading room has been greatly improved, new steam radiators having been put in, the walls tinted, and the place has a very cosy appearance.

—Mr. Wm. H. Pettigrew has the contract for building a handsome residence for Mr. W. H. B. Dowse on his estate on Temple street. Mr. Pettigrew has already nearly completed the stable.

—The new house on Prince street, which is being built for Mr. H. L. Ayer, is fast approaching completion, and will be ready for occupancy on the return of Mr. Ayer and his bride from their European trip.

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—A reception was tendered Rev. D. W. Faunce, D. D., in the parlors of the Baptist church, Wednesday evening. About one hundred were present and an enjoyable evening was passed. Music was rendered by a quartet composed of Miss Jessie Stetek, soprano; Miss Alice Bruce, alto; Mr. Smith, tenor, and Mr. Albert Palmer, basso. Miss Stetek gave several solos in a very pleasing manner. A collation was served by the ladies of the church.

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## ON LYNN TERRACE.

BY T. B. ALDRICH.

All day to watch the blue wave curl and break,  
All night to hear it plashing on the shore.—  
In this sea dream such drafts of life I take,  
I cannot ask for more.

Behind me lies the idle life and vain,  
The task unfinished, and the weary hours;  
That long wave bears me softly back to Spain  
And the Alhambra's towers!

Once more I halt in Andalusian pass,  
To list the mule-bells jingling on the height;  
Below, against the dute-sparto grass,  
The almond glimmers white.

Huge gateways, wrinkled, with rich grays and  
browns;  
Invite my fancy, and I wade through  
The gables-shouldered, zigzag streets of towns  
The world's first sailors knew.

Or if I will, I start the thin sea-haze  
Loving cliffs of my gay Calais rise;  
Or come with the pomp of old days,  
Venezia salutes my eyes.

Or some quaint castle lures me up its stair;  
I see, far off, the reddish domes shine,  
And catch through slits of windows here and  
there,  
Blue glimpses of the Rhine.

And now I linger in green English lanes,  
By garden plots of rose and heliotrope;  
And now I face the sudden pattering rains  
On some lone Alpine slope.

Now at Tangier, among the packed bazaars,  
I saunter, and the merchants at the doors  
Smile and entice me; here are jewels like stars,  
And curved knives of Moors.

Cloths of Damascan, strings of amber dates;  
What wond' Howdah!—silver, gold, or  
stone!

From on the sun-scorched plain without the  
gates

The camels make their moan.

All this is mine, as I lie dreaming here,  
High on the windy terrace, day by day;  
And mine the children's laughter, sweet and  
clear,  
Ringling across the bay.

For me the clouds; the ship sails by for me;  
For me the petulant sea-gull takes its flight;  
And mine the tender moonrise on the sea,  
And hollow coves of night!

## SHE BAFFLED THE BRIGANDS.

While in a small town in Wyoming Territory, I learned that a lady living there had been the heroine of a thrilling adventure with train-robbers, and curiosity and love for the brave induced me to call on her to tell me the story. When I went to her house I was welcomed by a handsome lady of thirty, and in response to my earnest request for this one chapter of her life, she related the following true tale:

In 1873, when but a girl of eighteen, I left my home in Omaha and came out here to fill the lonesome position of night operator at a small station on the Pacific Railway in this Territory. It was a dreary, desolate spot, in the midst of a desert.

The only buildings at the station, apart from the depot, were a section-house, occupied by a track foreman and a few Chinese laborers, a water-tank and coalshed. The day operator and agent, a mere boy, slept at the section-house, about two hundreds yards distant, so that during the long, dreary night I was alone at the depot. Number four express train, bound east, was due at 2:15 in the morning, but it never stopped unless signalled, and as it was the only train during the latter portion of the night, you can imagine my lonely situation upon the desert wild. I had my books and guitar as companions, and passed much of the time reading, and when the doleful howlings of the wolves were borne to my ears from the distant sand-hills, I would pick up my guitar and endeavor to drown their cries with music and song.

The superintendent of the division, a buoyant, light-spirited young gentleman, came over the road at frequent intervals, and cheered me up with promises of a better position when a vacancy should occur. He often found me on the very brink of despair, almost on the point of resigning my position and returning to my humble home and the mother who depended on my salary for the necessities of life; but his genial conversation and words drove away the gloom, and I came to look for his visits with a sense of the keenest pleasure. I began to regard him with a sisterly affection, he was so kind and tender, and solicitous for my welfare and comfort.

One night, shortly after midnight, as I sat at my table reading a late novel, I thought I heard a shuffling footstep on the depot platform, but, as it was not repeated, I concluded it was but a wolf, more daring than his cowardly fellows, and I resumed my book.

A few moments later I heard a low knocking at the door, which I always kept locked, and a strange feeling came over me. During my several weeks' stay at the station I had never had a visitor, and the sudden knock, so low, yet so startling clear in the stillness of the night, caused my form to tremble and my cheek to blanch.

My first thought was of Indians, and then I reasoned that it might be some tramp desiring shelter. While I sat there in affright, the knock was repeated, louder than before, and mustering all my courage, I approached the door and asked:

"Who's there?"

A gruff voice replied:

"A traveller who desires to take the east-bound train."

It was my plain and unmistakable duty to admit him, and with trembling fingers I drew the bolt.

Instantly the door was pushed violently open, and I sprang back to the table and sank into my chair in terror, when seven burly men, wearing cloth masks on their face and armed to the teeth, entered the office. One of them, evidently the leader, walked up to me, and pointing a large revolver at my head, said, in a low, grim voice:

"You don't want to hurt you, but if you make a suspicious move or scream or give any alarm, so that any of the men in the section-house kin hear you, I'll spike the looks o' that pretty face with a bullet. Be quiet and sensible, and have yourself, and yer shan't be hurt. What's yer red signal-lamp?"

"What would you do?" I gasped.

"Non o' your business. We don't want to hear any unnecessary back talk, nor any impudent questions. What's the red lamp?"

A chill of horror swept over me when the truth burst upon me that I was in the hands of a band of desperate train-robbers, whose evident intention was to signal the train and rob the express car at my station.

What could I do? It was yet three hours before the train was due, but I could not elude my captors to rouse the section-men, and I knew by the gleam in the leader's eyes, through the holes in his mask, that if I made the least outcry he would not hesitate to carry out his threat and murder me.

I knew they could find the lamp easily by searching for it, and in a trembling voice I told him it was hanging just inside the door of the freight-room. One of the men got it, and after examining it to see that it was in order, the rough band took seats to await the incoming of the train.

The leader lit his pipe, and, looking at me steadily for a few moments, said: "Young gal, when that ar' train toots her whistle, we've got some work for you—an official duty as you might call it. You must go out there on the platform, and signal the train to stop an' take on some first-class passengers. An', look here, if you make a suspicious move, or don't swing the red lamp in the proper way, we'll just ventilate that graceful body with bullets, an' jump our horses and git."

"In what way?"

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I finally recovered, and was called into court to testify against the desperate gang. I shall never forget their fierce glances toward me as I told how I entrapped them, or how, in spite of the efforts of the judge and court officers to suppress it, the crowd cheered me as I left the stand. The men were sent for a long term to an Eastern prison, and I have never heard of them since.

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"Well, only slightly. Corporations have no souls, you know. But I revenged myself on the superintendent, in a manner."

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## California Correspondence.

Oakland, September, 1889.  
To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

A clever way of capturing a gang of Chinese tan players was successfully carried out in San Francisco recently by three police officers. In order not to create suspicion, two of the officers appeared dressed in skirts and widows black veils, and escorted, as if strangers and seeing the sights of Chinatown, by a red-bearded guide. They started from Dupont street and cautiously wended their way along the streets, stopping occasionally, as the reporter says, "to fix their widows' veils and give their bustles a hitch," as women do. But on arriving at a certain place they had been aiming for, they suddenly dropped their skirts and veils, and dashed, pistols in hand, into a Chinese gambling den. The widows were seen no more, but at length three policemen were seen to come out accompanied by seventeen arrested Chinamen. Ah Chuck, the owner of the gambling house was fined \$40, and the remaining sixteen had to each pay \$20 for playing tan, or rather for being caught in playing the game. Doubtless the chattering Chinese tan player will hereafter beware of "widwers."

Then I signed name and office call.

I released the armature, and the instrument clicked out:

"Brace—up—little—girl—I—hear—you—H—."

"H—" was the train-despatcher's call.

With a fierce shout, the leader sprang forward and rudely snatched me away from the table, and asked:

"Gal, what's that?"

"Only a distant office asking for orders for a freight train," I responded.

"None o' yer lyin', you little imp!" he roared. "Yer up to some trick!"

"No," I replied, "I am not. If I were done that, my fingers would be on the instrument. Don't you see I am not touching it, and yet it works?" It is only an order to a freight train away down at Medicine Bow."

"Keep away from that table," he said savagely. "An' if I ketch you at any tricks, I'll choke the life out o' you."

Oh, how eagerly my ears drank in every word the instrument ticked out! I had a telegram to the sheriff of Green River, twenty miles west, asking him to arm a posse of men at once and get on board a special train, which would be ready for him. Then another to the young superintendent, who was at Green River, telling how my slowly written words had been heard by the dispatcher, and asking him to supervise the preparations to fly to my relief. Then a third dispatch to the master mechanic, instructing him to fire up his fastest passenger engine and couple on to a carriage and await the superintendent's orders. My heart beat so violently that it almost took my breath away. It seemed an age. I heard the Green River operator call the dispatcher and say:

"The superintendent, with sheriff and twenty armed men, are aboard, and train ready for orders."

The order came flying. It told the engineer he had a clear track, and to run at his very highest speed to within a half mile of the station and with his party to alight. Then came the welcome report from the Green River office:

"Special east departed at 1:15."

Oh, how my poor heart beat, and how my every nerve tingled with excitement!

I mentally figured that the train, on such a desperate errand, should make nearly a mile a minute, and reach the stopping-point at 1:36.

The robber chief gave his men their instructions. I was to be sent alone to signal the train, and when it halted the band would make a rush for it.

"Bill, you jump on the engine as soon as she stops and hold the engineer and fireman under your gun. Jack, you pile into the mail car an' make the clerk give up his registered letters, an' Yank an' Aleck'll work the express car, while Tom and Shory hold the conductor an' brakeman back. Do your work quick an' bold, an' don't be afraid to burn powder if necessary."

How eagerly I watched the clock, and how slowly, how very, very slowly the hands seemed to move—1:21, 1:25 and 1:30 were ticked off—1:35! Would they never come?

The men sat on the bench along the west side of the room, facing the two windows on the east. I tried to figure how long it would require for the men to walk to the depot from the stopping-place. Perhaps, even then, they were surrounding the station, and I might hear a knock at the door any instant.

Oh, horrible thought! In a few moments I might see men shot down before my face, and I myself might be killed. I almost fainted with fright. The blood seemed to freeze in my veins, and I grasped the chair, or I should have fallen to the floor. I-40.

There came a fearful crash of glass, and the black muzzles of a perfect cloud of rifles were thrust through the windows and pointed directly at the robbers. Then a voice cried out, "Men, throw up your hands!" I am the sheriff, and in the name of the law demand your surrender. Make but a move and I'll order my men to fire!"

"Yer little cat!" hissed the leader, glaring at me savagely, as the band suddenly held aloft their hands. Then the sheriff and three men entered and disarmed and handcuffed the robbers, and I saw the superintendent looking at me and heard him say, "What a debt I owe you, my brave girl!" Then I fell fainting into his arms.

When I regained consciousness I was lying in my room at Green River, with several ladies around me, and was told that seven days had elapsed since the capture of the robbers. I was suffering from brain fever, brought on by the terrible strain I had passed through, and had been unconscious for that long period. For many days thereafter I hovered on the border between life and death, and the superintendent was at my bedside several times every day, cheering me up with words of encouragement, and

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Another phenomenon of interest is mentioned by the doctor. He says that during the five or six hours between beginning the ascent to the completion of the descent a vast army of beautiful butterflies was incessantly moving over the sky-line of the mountain westward. Swarming like bees, they persistently moved by a common impulse in the same direction. The wind would whirl them back in clouds sometimes, but they persevered and even congealed "gusty Boreas." Through the glens the vast army was followed by the doctor, far down into the Sacramento Valley.

PACIFIC COAST.

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Merit Wins

**The Codfish Banks.**

Wide publicity has been given lately to the reported discovery by the United States fish commissioner steamer Albatross of the extensive codfishing banks off San Diego. The journals of the southern coast towns have been much impressed with the importance of the discovery, and have had much to say about it. Old fishermen, who know well the habits of the cod, have been loth to believe that the fish could be found in any great numbers in such warm water and such an exposed position as designated, in the region of St. Nicholas Island. Evidently there is something wrong about the announcement. As far as the banks and shoals are concerned, these "discoveries" have been marked on coast survey charts for the past thirty-five years. The coast survey vessels have often sounded in the locality mentioned, and there has been more or less fishing done by them, but never has there been any cod found. The currents there are very strong, and any vessel of size can remain near the banks only with much difficulty. That the reported cod banks near Cape Lookout, on the upper coast, will prove of value is considered very likely, for there are many of the surroundings that fishermen consider most favorable to the cod.—San Francisco Bulletin.

**The Foot of the Grand Canyon.**

I went to the bottom of the Grand canyon of the Colorado last winter and am one of the few men who ever attempted the descent. I went there to examine a mine said to exist in the bottom of the canyon. I have been all through the Rockies from Montana to Central America and know what a chasm is, but the sight of that abyss took my breath away. From the top to the bottom it is full 6,000 feet. Over a mile below you can see the river tearing through the gorge, but not a sound can be heard, it is so far away. From one bank to the other it is apparently not over a quarter of a mile, but as a matter of fact it is fully nineteen miles. My guide told me I would never be able to reach the bottom, but I was determined to go and I went. It was a terrible climb and it took us eight hours to reach the bottom. It is certainly the most desolate place in the world. There is no living thing down there—no insects, reptiles nor animals of any kind. Every thing is absolutely dead. The mining prospect was worthless. Before the sun was up the next morning we were on our way out, and it took us until 10 o'clock that night to climb the wall of the canyon.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

**The "Lost Cabin."**

On Aug. 4, 1886, Charles E. Burnes and Nathan Furbard left Linkville, Ore., on a prospecting tour to find the "Lost Cabin" in the mountains. For years the Lost Cabin has been one of the traditions of that section, and many a search has been made for it and the gold that is supposed to be waiting for the finder. Nothing was again heard of the two men until a few weeks ago, when a cattle herder found their camp and their skeletons in a dense wilderness near Diamond lake, fifty miles from Fort Klamath. The skeletons were found near together, wrapped in their blankets and clothed. Their guns stood against a tree near by. A small sum of money was in one of the men's pockets, and a watch, so that it seemed certain that they had not been murdered and robbed. A diary and a postal card addressed to Burnes' mother served to identify them. The diary was carried to Aug. 21, 1886, so the men had been dead nearly three years. But how they died will probably be one of the mysteries of the Diamond Lake region.—Chicago Herald.

**Fruit Growing Out of the Rocks.**

A hardy apple tree, loaded with ripe, luscious fruit, growing from the crevices of a rock, is a curiosity which has attracted the attention of visitors to Fairmount park through the Callowhill street entrance this summer. The tree, which is very large, shoots up from the crevice of the rocks blasted to form the pool for the pumping at the Fairmount water works.

The apples on the tree are the beautiful, rosy-cheeked, yellow variety, and from their quality and size it would appear that there was some rich source of sustenance, though none is visible from any point of view, the roots being plainly seen clinging to the rocky walls, shooting in one crevice and out of another. Hundreds of small boys try, day after day, to procure specimens of the fruit, but the isolated position of the tree has thus far saved it from their raids.—Philadelphia Times.

**American Women at the Exposition.**  
This is about the way that the average American woman dresses to spend the day in the Paris exposition. The fashions begin to go there immediately after breakfast, and take luncheon and dinner there, attend the concerts and spectacles from hour to hour, taking in all the Oriental departments, seeing the Eastern dancers, and getting a long rest in the afternoon by taking a wheeled chair and hiring a small boy to roll them about in a leisurely fashion among the palms and flowers in the horticultural department.—Paris Letter.

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And now the superity of rain this year is given as a reason for the non-success of a large dozen seashore hotels. As a matter of fact, there are too many such establishments from Maine to California, and by no means enough people to "go round."

**KANSAS IS ALL RIGHT.****A Railroad Traveling Agent Tells a Reporter About Arkansas Valley.**

Every one who comes to Kansas City from Kansas these days has his own particular stock of stories to tell about the wonderful crops in that state. Among the Sunflower pilgrims who landed in the city Saturday was Charley Barrett, the good looking and talkative traveling passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific. He had spent four or five days in southern Kansas, and his mouth was going at the rate of 500 revolutions a minute about crops when he was flagged by a Times man on Main street.

"What!" he exclaimed. "You never saw the like! The farmers down in southern Kansas had to rent the public roads to get room enough to stack the wheat. Wasn't room enough in the fields to hold the stacks. I saw one."

"How is the fruit crop?"

"Fruit! You never saw the like! Apples as big as cannon balls growing in clusters as big as haystacks. I saw one apple that."

"Don't the trees break down?"

"Trees! You never saw the like! The farmers planted sorghum in the orchards, and the stalks grew up like telephone poles and supported the limbs. I saw one stalk of sorghum that was two feet high."

"How is the broom corn crop?"

"Broom corn! You never saw the like! There hasn't been a cloudy day in southern Kansas for a month. Can't cloud up. The broom corn grew so high that it kept the clouds swept off the face of the sky as clean as a new floor. They will have to cut the corn down if it gets too dry. Some of the broom corn stalks are so high!"

"How is the corn crop?"

"Corn! You never saw the like! Down in the Neosho and Fall River and Arkansas bottoms the corn is as high as a house. They use stepladders to gather roasting ears."

"Aren't stepladders pretty expensive?"

"Expensive! Well, I should say so; but that isn't the worst of it. The trouble is that the children climb up into the cornstalks to hunt for eagles' nests, and sometimes fall out and kill themselves. Fourteen funerals in one county last week from that cause. I attended all of them. That is why I am so sad. And, mind you, the corn is not more than half grown. A man at Arkansas City has invented a machine which he calls 'The Solar Corn Harvester and Child Protector.' It is inflated with gas like a balloon and floats over the corn tops, and the occupants reach down and cut off the ears of corn with a cavalry saber. Every Kansas farmer has a cavalry saber, and—"

"Do they make much cider in Kansas?"

"Cider? You never saw the like! Oceans of it! Most of the farmers in Crowley county have filled their cisterns with cider. A proposition was made a few days ago to the water works company of Arkansas City to supply the town with cider through the mains, but the company was compelled to decline because they were afraid the cider would rust the pumps. They were sorry, but they said they would have to continue to furnish water, although it cost more. I saw one farmer who—"

"How is the potato crop?"

"Potatoes! You never saw the like! A man in Sedgwick county dug a potato the other day that was so big he used the cavity it grew in for a cellar. I saw one potato that!"

"The people must be happy over their big crops?"

"Happy! You never saw the like! I know men in the Arkansas valley who were too poor this time last year to drag a bread wagon, and now they have pie three times a day. One fellow that—"

But the reporter just at this point had a pressing engagement elsewhere.—Kansas City Times.

**To Preserve Dead Bodies.**

There is a man in Denver who has an idea that the country ought to give up the present method of disposing of dead bodies and adopt one which he suggests.

He does not advocate cremation, nor anything else which, so far as is known, appears to have been suggested by any other person. His scheme is to freeze the dead body in water, take the block of ice in which the body has been frozen and carry it to the north and deposit it on the shores of one of the Arctic seas. He says that he has already made some favorable progress, and that an English syndicate is considering the establishment of an international cemetery on the shores of Baffin's bay, where he says that future generations may go to find the faces of their ancestors of the Nineteenth century as natural as life.—New York Sun.

**An Immigrant's Fortune.**

Thomas Monahan, an Irish millionaire, who lived in Melbourne for half a century, died recently. He was one of the 360 poor Irish immigrants who sailed for Australia in 1839, and the ship was in such a terrible sanitary condition that ninety of them died on the voyage. Monahan shrewdly invested his little earnings in land about Melbourne, with the result that blocks for which he paid £500 in those early days are now worth £250,000 each. His aggregate wealth is estimated at £2,000,000.—Exchange.

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A brass ring was sent from Germany to a New Yorker the other day which was seized by the customs officers. The tax to the government was three cents, and it cost the United States some thing like \$15 to collect that sum.

**A FEMININE AERONAUT'S NERVE.****It Carried Her Safety Through a Period of Awful Peril.**

Fully 1,200 persons assembled at Jackson Mound park yesterday afternoon to witness the balloon ascension and parachute jump by Miss Dessa Garrett. Miss Garrett is a small but compact and well knit woman, and of light weight, and this fact, as it proved later, saved her from a frightful fate.

At 5 o'clock the monster balloon was fully inflated, and the eager throng of sightseers mounted benches and tables to get a good view of the start. The ropes were released at a given signal, Professor Robinson cried "All ready!" and up shot the aerial ship, with its occupant hanging to the trapeze bar. Up went the balloon till the aeronaut could hardly be distinguished, and a bush settled on the crowd below as the awful consequence of a fall from that dizzy height presented itself to their minds. Many of these present had opera and field glasses through which they viewed every movement of the balloon and its occupants.

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"Broom corn! You never saw the like! There hasn't been a cloudy day in southern Kansas for a month. Can't cloud up. The broom corn grew so high that it kept the clouds swept off the face of the sky as clean as a new floor. They will have to cut the corn down if it gets too dry. Some of the broom corn stalks are so high!"

"How is the corn crop?"

"Corn! You never saw the like! Down in the Neosho and Fall River and Arkansas bottoms the corn is as high as a house. They use stepladders to gather roasting ears."

"Aren't stepladders pretty expensive?"

"Expensive! Well, I should say so; but that isn't the worst of it. The trouble is that the children climb up into the cornstalks to hunt for eagles' nests, and sometimes fall out and kill themselves. Fourteen funerals in one county last week from that cause. I attended all of them. That is why I am so sad. And, mind you, the corn is not more than half grown. A man at Arkansas City has invented a machine which he calls 'The Solar Corn Harvester and Child Protector.' It is inflated with gas like a balloon and floats over the corn tops, and the occupants reach down and cut off the ears of corn with a cavalry saber. Every Kansas farmer has a cavalry saber, and—"

"Do they make much cider in Kansas?"

"Cider? You never saw the like! Oceans of it! Most of the farmers in Crowley county have filled their cisterns with cider. A proposition was made a few days ago to the water works company of Arkansas City to supply the town with cider through the mains, but the company was compelled to decline because they were afraid the cider would rust the pumps. They were sorry, but they said they would have to continue to furnish water, although it cost more. I saw one farmer who—"

"How is the potato crop?"

"Potatoes! You never saw the like! A man in Sedgwick county dug a potato the other day that was so big he used the cavity it grew in for a cellar. I saw one potato that!"

"The people must be happy over their big crops?"

"Happy! You never saw the like! I know men in the Arkansas valley who were too poor this time last year to drag a bread wagon, and now they have pie three times a day. One fellow that—"

But the reporter just at this point had a pressing engagement elsewhere.—Kansas City Times.

**To Preserve Dead Bodies.**

There is a man in Denver who has an idea that the country ought to give up the present method of disposing of dead bodies and adopt one which he suggests.

He does not advocate cremation, nor anything else which, so far as is known, appears to have been suggested by any other person. His scheme is to freeze the dead body in water, take the block of ice in which the body has been frozen and carry it to the north and deposit it on the shores of one of the Arctic seas. He says that he has already made some favorable progress, and that an English syndicate is considering the establishment of an international cemetery on the shores of Baffin's bay, where he says that future generations may go to find the faces of their ancestors of the Nineteenth century as natural as life.—New York Sun.

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The forty-third annual report of the commissioners in lunacy for Great Britain contains interesting figures. On New Year's day last there were in the kingdom 84,340 insane persons. Various causes of insanity are set forth in a table covering 136,478 cases. Of these 9,569 persons lost their reason from domestic trouble, 8,060 from "adverse circumstances," 8,278 from overwork and worry, 3,769 from religious excitement, and 18,290 from intemperance. The influence of heredity was ascertained to be 28,063 cases, and congenital defect in 5,881.

And now the superity of rain this year is given as a reason for the non-success of a large dozen seashore hotels.

As a matter of fact, there are too many such establishments from Maine to California, and by no means enough people to "go round."

The brass ring was sent from Germany to a New Yorker the other day which was seized by the customs officers. The tax to the government was three cents, and it cost the United States some thing like \$15 to collect that sum.

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Mr. Wm. O. Knapp is occupying his house on Warren street.

—Councilman A. H. Roffe's new stable is fast approaching completion.

—Miss Corine Smith of Summer street, has returned from her vacation.

—Miss Helen Hawthorne has returned to her studies at Wellesley College.

—Mr. Archibald Brown of Summer street has removed to Belmont, Revere.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. D. Gross have returned from their visit at Saxonville.

—Mrs. J. Avery Baldwin and daughters returned on Saturday from Magnolia.

—Miss Stevens, the milliner, will return to N. S. Williams' store about the 20th.

—Be sure and attend your Republican ward caucus tomorrow, Saturday night.

—Miss Alice Gardner left on Thursday for Norton, Mass., where she is at school.

—Miss Mary M. Smith has returned to the Hatfield House, Northampton, Mass.

—Mrs. B. E. Taylor has returned from Cotuit, Mass., to her home on Grant avenue.

—Col. E. H. Haskell and family have returned from their vacation in New Hampshire.

—Mr. S. D. Loring and family are again domiciled at their Crescent avenue residence.

—Mr. Mark Thompson is one of the new divinity students, at the Theological school.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Silver of Station street have gone to Derby, N. H., for a short stay.

—Wm. Cotter received a bad sprain of the wrist by a fall from his bicycle one day this week.

—Mr. William Bartholomew has returned from Annisquam, where he has been sketching.

—Mrs. Goodspeed, Miss Ida Goodspeed, and Miss Emma Pope are at Cotuit for a week or two.

—Miss Burbank, teacher at the Oak Hill school, is boarding at Mr. Geo. Stearns' on Parker street.

—Miss Mary H. Cornelius is visiting her nieces, Mrs. Colby of Milwaukee, for a month or two.

—Dr. Joseph Elliot, whose wife died last week, is, we understand, now seriously ill in Grafton, Mass.

—Miss Ethel Grey of Lyman street is entertaining Miss Gertrude Bright and sister of Cambridge.

—Prof. and Mrs. Andrews, who have been visiting Alderman Harbach, have returned to Hamilton, N. Y.

—Mr. Newton of San Francisco is seen making his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wright, a short visit.

—A large number from here attended the ball game at Boston Tuesday, between the Bostons and the Chicagoans.

—Rev. Mr. Grumbine of Syracuse, N. Y., was the guest of Mr. Moses G. Crane of Lake avenue, over Sunday.

—Mrs. Edward Keeler of Parker street is spending the week in Gloucester. Mr. Keeler returned the first of the week.

—Mr. Angus Robinson and Mrs. Martin have returned from Maine. Mrs. Robinson's health being somewhat improved.

—Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Meston and daughter are staying with Mrs. Herbert N. Smith of Beacon street for a week or two.

—Hon. Leverett Saltonstall and family have returned to Chestnut Hill from Cohasset, where they have passed the summer.

—Richardson's market has had some Gravestones applied this week from Nova Scotia that measured 13 3/4 inches in circumference.

—Mr. Robert Gardiner and family of Lake avenue have returned from New Brunswick, where they have been for a month or two.

—Mrs. Grout and Miss Louise Grout have gone to Boston for the winter. Mr. Chas. D. Barry moves into their house on Parker street this week.

—Mr. Robert Weir and family returned last week Thursday from New Brunswick, where Mrs. Weir and child have been spending the summer.

—Mrs. Theodore Nickerson and family returned yesterday to their residence on Institution avenue after having spent the summer at the sea shore.

—Prof. C. B. Colt and family have rented and moved into Mrs. Trumbull's house on Summer street. They are gladly welcomed back by many friends.

—Rev. L. C. Barnes gave the right hand of fellowship to Rev. Arthur L. Snell, at his ordination as pastor of the Baptist church in Foxboro, on Wednesday.

—Apple blossoms in full bloom have been picked this week by Henry Herse, the well-known baggage express man, from an apple tree in the rear of Farnham's block.

—Mrs. Gammans of New York, who has been visiting Mr. James Gammans and family of Beacon street, has returned to that city, Miss Gammans accompanying her.

—Mr. Henry H. Read has gotten out a very neat pamphlet entitled "In and About Newton Centre," giving its many attractions as a place of residence. It will be valuable for those who wish to be posted up.

—List of letters advertised at the Newton Centre post office: Miss Bridget Connell, Mr. Mathew Madigan, Mr. James McHugh, Mr. C. V. Ramsdell, Mr. J. H. Sullivan, Mrs. Hannah Sheean, Mr. E. Tupper, A. M. Joel Wilson.

—On Monday evening Chas. Crotch, Paul of Centre street passed away after a long illness. He was a son of Mr. Henry Paul of Centre street, and one of the most estimable young men of the village. His funeral services were on Wednesday at his home.

—The 2:04 train for Boston, Monday afternoon, had among its passengers two small children for whom the conductor could find no claimant. They were left here and word was telegraphed back to Newton, Highlands, where the mother of the children was fortunately found, intending to follow the train the next day. The family was soon after recruited and continued their journey toward Boston.

—The Mason and Rice school, originally well filled, a trifle more than last year. Both schools average between 22 and 47 scholars to a room, at present, whereas they averaged about 40 to the room last year. Miss Addie L. Thompson of the Rice school has been granted two months' leave of absence on account of ill health, and Mrs. F. C. Hoyt is substituting. Miss Emily Thompson, in her absence, is substituting temporarily. Among the teachers at the Mason school, Miss Bucknam has been transferred to the 5th class and Miss Stultz takes the vacancy thus made. The Mason school house has been thoroughly repaired and cleaned, the cellar whitewashed, a new system of ventilation put in, from which better and more satisfactory results are hoped for.

—Mr. Fred Hovey of this place has again carried off honors in a tennis tournament. Last week he played in the tournament given by the Wellesley girls. Their second against Williamson, who is a remarkable good player. Both played from the back of the court, having some brilliant volleys, which won applause from the large group of spectators. Both worked hard for the game and each was at his best. Hovey won the sets 10-8, 6-4 after splendid play. After this final for the second, he was played by Hovey, having a set against his opponent, Wilder, of Centre street. Hovey, as usual, gained the first two sets, with a score of 6-3, 6-3. Miss Mason and Miss Fitz of this village then played in the ladies' doubles against Miss Dewson and Miss Farrington. The young ladies, after some play, won the game after some play, with a score of 6-3, 6-3. Miss Dewson and Miss Farrington.

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## CITY GOVERNMENT.

H. C. DANIELS ELECTED OVERSEER OF THE POOR.—THE STREET RAILWAY HEARING.

Both branches of the city government were in session Monday evening. In the board of aldermen Mayor Burr presided and all the members were present except Alderman Chadwick.

The list of ward officers was laid over till the next meeting, to be completed.

Alderman Johnson reported from the street lamp committee favorably on petition of Rev. M. Dolan for street lamps on Adams street and of residents for electric lamps on South street.

Alderman Johnson read petition of John Joyce for license to build an addition 40 by 18, to barn on Thornton street, to be used for a shed.

A. F. Ireland and others asked for four street lamps on Ward street.

F. W. Greene and 15 others asked for sidewalk on Mt. Vernon street, to connect Wards 2 and 3.

C. E. Stevens asked for an electric light on Freeman street.

A communication was received from the common council giving notice of the vacancy in that body from Ward 7.

Samuel Hano was granted a license to build an addition to barn 16 by 33 feet on Summit street, to be used for private stable.

The resolution adopted by the common council, that all land purchased by the city for public playgrounds should be forever kept for such purposes, brought out an able speech from Alderman Pettee, who said that the resolution was probably offered in good faith but it had no binding effect, and he thought the gentlemen in Ward 6 who had so generously contributed money, and those who had sold property at less than the market price, ought to have something to say.

Their wishes were worthy of some consideration, and if they wished to lay out a driveway for bicycle riding or for equestrians around the lot, and have some landscape gardening inside of it, in addition to the playgrounds, they should have perfect liberty to do so. They were to give some \$26,000 worth of land to the city for \$10,000, and this entitled them to say what they wished to have done.

Notification of intention to build house on new street leading from Lincoln street, Newton Highlands, 25 by 50 feet, was received from A. W. Beal. Mrs. Sarah Curtis gave notice of intention to build two houses on Otis street.

Chas. E. Thwing gave notice that he had been injured by loose stones, carelessly left on the sidewalk by the city and asking payment of damages for injuries received; referred to claims committee.

Three street lamps were asked for on Boylston street, between Parker and Dudley streets. Chas. Pond and others asked for street lamp on Lenox street; referred to lamp committee.

S. L. Powers, attorney, gave notice that Horatio Carter considered himself damaged by the failure of the city to carry out the contract made Sept. 29, 1886, in regard to laying out and grading of Mt. Vernon street, and that he made a claim for the payment of damages; referred to claims committee.

## OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Alderman Hamblen reported from the special committee appointed to fill vacancy on the board of overseers of the poor, that they recommended the election of Henry C. Daniels of Ward 7. The report was accepted and in joint convention Mr. Daniels was unanimously elected.

## RESIGNATIONS.

Alderman Tolman presented his resignation as a member of the board of health, and Alderman Hamblen was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Mayor Burr read a communication from ex-Alderman E. H. Mason of Ward 6, resigning his position as member of the committee on revising the city ordinances, on account of ill health, and the great pressure of other business.

Mayor Burr stated that he regretted very much that Mr. Mason was unable to continue on this work, as he was a very valuable member of the committee, and his advice was of great service.

He appointed Hon. Wm. B. Fowle to fill the vacancy, and the appointment was confirmed.

## SPECIAL ELECTION.

Alderman Pettee read an order appointing Monday, Sept. 30th, as the time for a special election for councilman from Ward 4.

## STREET RAILWAY HEARING.

A remonstrance signed by G. A. Leonard and some 38 of the abutters on Washington street, along the proposed line of the Newton Street Railway, was read and the hearing was opened. They represented that it was a serious injury and inconvenience to them to have the railway tracks on the side of the street, in front of their premises, and asked to have the tracks kept in the centre of the street.

No remonstrance was made against the location of the tracks on Crafts street.

President Geo. W. Morse of the railway company asked to have the remonstrants give their testimony, that he might know what objections, if any, were to be combatted.

Mr. Henry F. Ross said that the running of the railroad in such a narrow street as Washington street would be an injury to property, especially if the tracks were put on the side of the street. The tracks should be placed where the least damage would be done to property, which was in the centre of the street. Along part of the route were shops and stores, and the tracks right on the sidewalks would be a great nuisance. They might be run on the side on the parts of the street which ran next to the Boston & Albany railroad, but wherever there were house lots they should be in the middle of the street.

Dr. Crockett said that he had all the experience he wanted of a railroad running in front of his door, so that it was impossible for teams to stop there. The sidewalks were pretty well filled up now with telegraph and electric light poles, and the residents on the south side of the street did not care for all the inconveniences that could be put in the street.

Mr. Chas. W. Beals of Newtonville said he was one of the abutters, and the tracks next to the sidewalk would be such a serious injury to him that it would damage his property to the amount of a thousand dollars. There was \$200,000 of taxable property repre-

sented on the petition, and their wishes should be entitled to some consideration.

Mr. Morse said that Mr. Beals had 103 feet of frontage, which gave plenty of room for a driveway, and if he would take even \$500 off from a fair valuation of his house he would buy it himself.

Mr. N. T. Allen said the street railway had been a great inconvenience to his school for many years, and he thought it would be an injury to all the property on that side of the street. He thought the tracks should go in the middle of the street.

Mr. Jordan said the tracks on the side would seriously damage his property, especially if he put a store on it, as he might some day.

Mr. J. H. Horrigan said he did not want the tracks to shut off all the teams that had to stop in front of his house, and make them go on the other side of the street. It would be a serious inconvenience and a damage to property.

Mr. Stanley said the tracks would force his family to do all their business with the teams that stopped in the middle of the street. The property owners ought to be protected.

Mr. Ross said he owned the Tremont Hall property in Ward 2, and the tracks on the side of the street would be a serious damage to the stores there, and take 25 per cent from the value of his property. He owned two houses on the street and it would damage them.

Mr. Hodgson said he was building a harness shop on the street, and many teams had to stop there, which would be seriously inconvenienced by the track.

General Leonard said he had had the railway in front of his house ever since the Waltham road was built and it had ever been a serious damage and inconvenience to him, preventing his selling the property. He had 180 feet front opposite City Hall, and had just lost a chance of selling a lot on account of the street railway. Why not put it on the City Hall side if it was such a good thing to have.

Mr. Morse then spoke for the railway, claiming that on the side of the street there would be much less danger of accidents, as in the centre of the street, it would take a good driver to avoid an accident. The road was waiting to begin work, and he hoped all the questions would be settled at this meeting. The placing of tracks on the side of the street marked the education of the people. Two or three years ago there would have been at least a thousand remonstrants, but now there were less than forty. People were beginning to know more about street railways and objections vanished. Many cities were changing and putting their railroads on the side of the street, and they wanted to put the tracks where they would stay. There was practically no objection to the location asked for in Newtonville square, and there it might be best to have the tracks in the centre of the street. They had canvassed the route from the Waltham line to Centre street, and found 101 houses, two on Lexington street, 10 on River, 8 on Elm, and 81 on Washington street. There were just 17 hitchings posts on this whole line on that side of the street, 31 of the 101 houses had private driveways, so that teams could drive in. The company would assume the expense of moving these 17 posts to the other side of the street, if a horse was hitched on the side of the street, it would take a very careful driver to get between that carriage and the car if the tracks were in the centre of the street. A careless or unskillful driver would be always in danger, and he thought the people would prefer to go to the other side of the street to meet teams, rather than endanger any lives or limbs. The thousands who drove over the street ought to be considered, rather than the one who hitched his horse on that side of the street. The road from Kingston to Plymouth had just been built on the side of the street. The aldermen should look after the interests of the general public. There would also only be needed one post of roads to support the wire for the cars, if the tracks were placed on the side, and the streets would be less encumbered. The prejudice against tracks on the side of the street was a bugbear of the shallowest kind.

Alderman Childs asked about the limbs of trees that would have to be sacrificed if the tracks were put on the side. Mr. Morse said only few limbs would have to be cut down, and that would be an improvement. He had several letters from prominent street railway builders, who all said that tracks should be on the side of the street.

In response to Alderman Tolman, Mr. Morse said that the cost of construction would be less, if the tracks were on the side, the rapid transit of cars would not be so liable to be interfered with and the track would not be so liable to be damaged by heavy teams.

Alderman Pettee asked is he had any other reason to present why tracks should be on the side, and if this was not the opening wedge to have all the railway tracks in the city put on the side of the street.

Mr. Morse said that there was no danger that any one city government of Newton would follow the example of another. Only a small remonstrance had been presented.

Mr. Beals said that if he had been well he would have got a bushel of remonstrances; it was the remonstrance was all gotten up by a lady.

Alderman Tolman asked if it would not save the use of chairs, if the tracks were on the side, and the filling would only have to be 4 inches instead of 8, and a lighter rail could be used.

He asked if this was not the reason Mr. Morse made the request.

The remonstrance was finally adopted by a vote of 4 to 2.

A order was adopted, providing an appropriation of \$50 for the use of the city clerk in getting out printed instructions to be sent to the election officers, At 10:30 o'clock the board adjourned.

Common Council.

In the common council President Bond presided. The business was of a concurrent nature. President Bond on joint special committee on sewerage and Councilman Collins on committees of freeholders, and street lights, rules and orders and ordinances, to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of Mr. Frank J. Hale.

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## Our Annual Meeting.

Our first annual meeting will be held on Monday, Oct. 7. Notice will be given next week in this column, and also by mail, of the place and the hour. Matters of interest and importance to the friends of tariff reform will be presented to the meeting, and it is the duty of every member to be on hand. At this date our list contains 118 names, distributed among the several villages as follows:

Newton,	37
Newtonville,	9
West Newton,	24
Auburndale,	10
Lower Falls,	2
Upper Falls,	1
Highlands,	10
Newton Centre,	10
Chestnut Hill,	6

Many persons heartily in sympathy with our work have not become regular members. All such are cordially invited to join the club in time to take part in the meeting of October 7. Money, time, and influence cannot be misspiled now; the most scrupulous will be sure that every means now used can tend only to the production of thought. A dollar's worth of discussion is worth more to a people's government than a hundred dollars' worth of torch-lights. Every cent spent now in teaching men to think and reason is making political bribery and corruption more useless and therefore more rare. Now is the accepted time. Hand your name, your address, and one dollar, to some friend belonging to the club, or send them to the Secretary,

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## Real Protection.

Poor Senator Hoar! After last winter's labors to increase the taxes on fish and to maintain them on iron ore, coal, lumber, potatoes, everything, it is rather hard to see the all the Boston merchants—those Harrisonian students of markets—have turned free-traders. Party lines seem suddenly to have disappeared. Merchant after merchant, representing every industry in New England, stands before the senator and protests:—"I'm a Republican and a good Protectionist; but, Senator, for Heaven's sake, give us free trade with Canada." Meantime we wish to call attention to the real protection doctrine of the Republican Party!—Have the leather industries of New England or the boot and shoe manufacturers of Lynn received copies recently of the following circular?

## HOW THE STOCK GROWING INTERESTS WILL BE BENEFITED.

A Practical Illustration of PROTECTION FOR AMERICAN INDUSTRIES By W. F. Wakeman, Kansas City, Mo. (By authority of Republican National Committee.)

Perhaps you or your friend are interested in obtaining more money and more profit from your cattle. Certainly you are! You know better than I that for the last few years prices of cattle on the hoof have steadily decreased in value until every farmer and every ranchman has felt that the bottom in prices had certainly been reached. . . . We have Free Trade—absolute Free Trade in hides—and what is the result? Since they were placed upon the free list the prices of green salted, steer hides have steadily declined from 12-34 cents a pound until now you get scarcely 6 cents a pound. . . . What is the hide to the manufacturing world? It is the raw material to leather. The manufacture of leather amounts to more in value and gives employment to more people than the combined iron and steel industries of the country.

The hide is to the tanner what wool is to the manufacturer. . . . The hide is to the tanner what iron-ore is to the smelter. . . . At every point we are met with the conclusion that hides . . . should have a reasonable protection from foreign competition.

This remarkable circular—(by the authority of the Republican National Committee)—says that 80 percent of our consumption of hides is domestic, and further prints two tables, one of which shows that since 1880 the value of hides imported has decreased from 30 millions of dollars to 25 millions, and the other shows that the value of all the cattle in the country—calves, cattle, and their offspring—since 1872. This second table (the author tells us) shows us what the ranchmen are losing on account of free-trade—6 cents on every pound of hides, or about \$100,000,000 on the amount consumed annually. One hundred millions! No wonder the ranchmen rally around that flag! Granting for the moment that a Tariff on Hides would give the ranchmen that money—that hundred millions—the question arises—"Who would pay it?" Not the wicked foreigners, because we import but a poor twenty per cent. of our hides—the rest are domestic. The 60,000,000 Americans who wear boots and shoes, the 17,000,000 farmers who consume leather harness, they would pay the hundred million to the ranchmen. How many millions of ranchmen would pocket this little tax? Millions? Scarcey. It is very certain that 50,000 is a large estimate of the number of stock-raisers, hairy boys, rally! Let the 50,000,000 pay their annual tribute of a hundred millions, and let us, the 25,000,000, divide! Why not? Don't the wool men do it? And the iron men and the lumber kings? And the lonely owner of our one nickel mine? And the pauper stockholders of Calumet and Hecla?

Free Trade in hides then has prevailed since 1872 and under Free Trade our imports of hides have remained about stationary; under Free Trade our domestic consumption of hides has grown to vast proportions; under Free Trade the prices of hides, and therefore the prices of boots, shoes, and harness, have fallen steadily, and manufacturers, workmen, and consumers have benefited thereby; under Free Trade even the stockmen have gained something—an enlarged market—a market which by its extent more than makes up to them for the decline in price. We do sincerely believe that this Wakeman is a hero, a Free Trader, perhaps a member of the Cobden Club, and this circular—but a cunning satire! But it has fooled the Republican National Committee, and the American Economist which prints it apparently on September 6, 1889. Wakeman! Even that name looks suspicious!

## Republican Free Traders.

NO. IX.

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## A NATIONALIST APPEAL.

## To the People of the State.

A SEVERE ARRANGEMENT OF THE LEGISLATURE, THE LOBBY AND CORPO- RATIONS.

The following address to the citizens of Massachusetts is issued by the Nationalist club of Boston:—

You are confronted with a question of the gravest importance. The quality and the character of your Legislature has steadily declined from year to year, during the last decade, until now the General Court of 1880, is openly charged with being the most incompetent and corrupt body that ever sat in the state-house. The public press freely makes this charge and is held by public opinion. The Legislature of this year has degraded itself by the rejection of measures intended to suppress corruption, to secure the purity of the ballot and to promote the general welfare. It has passed measures burdening the community with perpetual charges for the profit of the rich and powerful corporations. In all questions requiring a choice, it has almost invariably favored the demands of private and moneyed interests at the expense of the public. It has been the servant of a strong and unscrupulous lobby. It is charged with having betrayed the people, whose rights it is sworn to protect, by selling its enactments. Good laws that it passed either affected no powerful interests, or were so backed by public opinion that it was forced to pass them. Bad measures failed of enactment, not because they were bad, but because of conflict among private interests. Such is the record of our General Court.

The corruption is caused by vast and powerful interests wielding the power of their wealth to their selfish advantage. They have, through their agents, and by private corporations, created to render public service, but seeking to control the law-making power and tax the public for their own profit. To attain these ends they scruple at nothing. Facing these facts, citizens of Massachusetts, can you longer delude yourselves that yours is the government of the sovereign people which your fathers founded in the firm belief that it would last as long as your granite hills? You are apparently allowed to nominate your representatives and to vote for them at the polls, but when those representatives assemble in the state-house, if you are corrupted by the lobby and their votes purchased, is it you, then, who rule, or are you ruled by the great corporation?

A quarter of a century ago corporations were small and exercised little influence upon legislation. To-day single corporations have a larger capitalization than the government, and the wealth of the commonwealth of Massachusetts has risen to the stupendous sum of over \$600,000,000. Then a lobby was born, known now, how each corporation has its lobby, as openly in its employ as its president or treasurer. Men whom the people have elevated to the highest position in its Legislature, decline re-election that they may join "the third house," and sell to the great gas, telephone and railroad corporations the influence they have obtained over members of the Legislature from their official position. The lobby of 1880 had among its members two ex-presidents of the Senate, ex-speakers of the House, ex-governors and ex-congressmen. Besides these powerful tools the corporations had in their employ a large number of recognized professional lobbyists, men who gilded their arguments. So bare-faced has this holding of legislature in the interests of corporations become that at the end of the last Legislature some score of lobbyists were seen in the lobby, chosen by the corporations, dined in great state at a prominent hotel and drank to this toast: "To the member who has one hand upon the pulse of labor and the other on the pulse of capital." When your legislature is mere puppets in the hands of the money kings, what have you left of a government of the people, by the people and for the people? do you consent to this? shall your state become a permanent plutocracy?

The corruptionists begin their campaign early. They besiege the state-house, the caucuses, the polling-places, they even pursue the voters to their homes. Already they are laying their plans to have their willing instruments elected by you to do their bidding. The ballot-reform law takes effect on the next election. It confers great power upon the corruptionists, therefore attend the primaries. See that the men whom you selected, Exact solemn promises to conceal present abuses. Question them closely and publicly. Get their pledges to insist on the most rigid scrutiny, regulation and control of corporations. Demand that they extend the powers of municipal administration over matters of public service such as gas and electric lighting, water supply and street roads, or any other public service now rendered by private corporations.

Who can exaggerate the danger to our free institutions from a plutocratic class ruling the land by the power of the most enormous fortunes that the world has ever seen? This is the most vital question of the day, dwarfing all others into insignificance. What danger is greater than that which now faces us, a government of money, by money and for money?

## Three Remarkable Dogs.

A Philadelphia dog wears a costly collar as a reminder of his presence of mind. Mrs. Green put her little son to bed early one night. Two hours later she heard the subdued growling of her dog coming from the hall way. Rushing to the scene she saw what held her spell-bound. About the centre of the long flight of stairs leading from the sleeping apartment was the boy crying as his heart was breaking. He was hanging over the steps in a perilous position, with his head downward, and the dog prevented him from falling further by clutching his little dress between its teeth. The dog was growling at a rapid rate as if to attract attention, and seemed to fully realize the dangerous situation. The child had jumped out of bed and was going down the stairs suddenly when the dog rushed to his rescue and saved him by catching hold of his dress. As soon as the rescue was made the dog kissed his face and showed unbounded joy.

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## THE LAST LEGISLATURE.

The appeal to the people by the Nationalists has caused so much discussion that in response to numerous requests we give it entire in another column. It is a very plain-spoken document, and many people think it is not very far out of the way in its description of the last Legislature. The Boston & Albany railroad bill, which made such a handsome present to the stockholders of that road, might have been a very proper bill to pass, but the Milford Journal, for instance, one of the most influential Republican papers in the state, says that "no member who voted for the Boston & Albany stock-watering job last session, should be returned to the next legislature."

There has been a good deal of feeling on the subject among the people, and this has given point to the appeal of the Nationalists, as has also the public dinner held by the "Third house" at the close of the last session, when boasts were made of the ease with which all their schemes were worked through the legislature.

We print in another column a communication from a valued subscriber, which would have had more weight if he had signed his name. Perhaps the public dinner of the lobbyists will show the writer the difference between the last legislature and former ones, and to-day's politics and those of former days, more plainly than anything which could be cited. But if not, let him look at the political leaders of to-day, such as Quay, Dudley, Gorman, Governor Hill of New York, Tom Platt, Mahone, Voorhees, and the rest and compare them with Lincoln, Seward, Chase, Sumner, Webster, and the leaders of former days. Or, compare the last speaker of our general assembly with the Adamses, or even the speakers of a few years ago. There are, no doubt, just as good men to-day as ever in the history of the country, but the trouble is they are not in political life, or if they are, they are not at the front. There were just as good men in the last legislature, no doubt, as were ever sent there, among them being the two representatives from Newton, but the trouble was they were not elected to the speakership and could not control legislation.

It is for this reason, to show that it is still possible for the best man to be chosen, that we have advocated the nomination of Mr. Crapo, who is the equal of any of our past governors. There is no question of his high character, of his uprightness, or of his freedom from the "state house ring" or any other entangling alliances. He may be rich, but Mr. Brackett is not poor, and his followers have evidently so far found no lack of means to carry on their very active campaign. If, as our correspondent asserts, the "lobby" is not working for Mr. Brackett, then there is a most mistaken impression abroad, but we should like to ask him on which side are the professional politicians, the men who are in politics for what they can make out of it? Our correspondent has a wide circle of acquaintances and we think he would find the great majority of such persons among the supporters of Mr. Brackett, though of course here in Newton we have no professional politicians nor lobbyists, and we all are looking only for the best interests of the state, although we may take widely different views of how "the highest possibilities of pure politics" can be gained.

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If voters will not attend the caucuses they can not reasonably find fault with the nominations, no matter what their character may be, and it is certainly a matter for congratulation that in spite of the almost universal apathy of Newton people, the delegates Newton sends are usually quite satisfactory in character and ability. Those who do attend evidently feel it a solemn duty to make wise selections as circumstances will allow.

INSURANCE Commissioner Merrill would be such a great improvement upon Peusion Commissioner Tanner, that one wonders why President Harrison did not choose Mr. Merrill in the first place. It is easy to understand, however, the reluctance of Mr. Merrill, or any man having a comfortable position, to accept the pension commissionership. It is a very difficult position, and the occupant is certain to receive a good deal of harsh criticism. In this connection it is interesting to note Mr. Merrill's position on the pension question. He says: "For eight years I have been chairman of the national committee on pensions of the Grand Army, and my views are well known to the soldiers as being in one sense conservative and in another radical. At this period, 25 years after the war, mere sentiment, if nothing else, dictates that those men who risked their lives for their country when it needed them, should now, if disabled by service in the army or any other cause, receive succor and reward from the government. In the almshouses of the United States there are today 20,000 soldiers. Is it right that these men should be permitted to remain paupers? No. It makes no difference whether they were disabled in the war, or by subsequent misfortune, or even by their own indiscretion. That is my radical view, but I do not believe that I, an able-bodied and fairly prosperous man, should receive a pension; and that is my conservative view." There would be no cases like that of Senator Manderson under Mr. Merrill.

THE Boston Traveller's editorials sometimes have a humorous touch, although this is probably not intentional. On Monday, for instance, it said: "Newton goes for Brackett. Her Republicans remember Bishop." It did not add that Newton Centre, the home of Mr. Bishop, went for Crapo by a large majority, and the assumption that the three or four prominent politicians who worked up the Brackett sentiment in this city were actuated only by their "remembering Bishop" is certainly as amusing as the Traveller's assertion that it was the temperance voters of Newton who carried the caucuses for Brackett.

THE Ballot Act League is sending out samples of the ballots to be used under the new law, which goes into effect at the next state election. With the explanations that are given, every man with intelligence enough to vote, can have no trouble, but what a revolution it will make. Voters will be apt to choose the best man irrespective of the party label attached, and the vote-buyer will never know whether he has received his goods or not. It is to be hoped that a similar law will soon be in force in every state in the Union.

THE City Solicitor of Lynn has secured a writ from the supreme judicial court of Essex County, requiring the County Commissioners to appear and show cause why they have not established a County truant school, as the law requires. The Commissioners have certainly shown no undue haste in this matter, and it is a good thing to have them stirred up.

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DEED.

LAWN—At Newton, Sept. 12, Margaret Lawn, aged 2 years.

WARDWELL—At Newton Centre, Sept. 15, William Theodore Wardwell, aged 49 mos., 28 days.

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Per order of

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City of Newton.

To CHARLES F. RICHARDSON, City Marshal.

GREETING:

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IN SAID WARD,

On Monday, the 30th day

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at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and from that time until two o'clock in the afternoon, and then to give in their ballots for one Common Councilman for said Ward, who shall be resident therein, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Ephraim S. Hamblen elected alderman.

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And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting attested copies thereof in not less than four public places in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and publishing the same in the Newton Journal and Newton Graphic.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Ward of said Ward, on or before the thirtieth day of September, instant.

Witness, HEMAN M.

BURR, Mayor of our said City of Newton, on this the sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty

## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. Samuel Tilton, Chesley place, is seriously ill.

—Mrs. Decatur, Otis street, is away on a two months' visit.

—Mrs. Briggs, Washington Park, is much improved in health.

—Mothers, try Magic for removing grass, ink, and fruit stains.

—Alfred J. McIntyre is spending a few weeks' vacation at Everett.

—It is said that Tremont Hall is to be fitted up for lodge purposes.

—Mr. W. P. Upham and family returned from a visit to Salem, Tuesday.

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—Mr. Alexander Chisholm was installed as tyler of Dalhousie Lodge for the twenty-first time, Wednesday evening. Postmaster A. C. Harwood, the installing officer, in his remarks, alluded to his long service in that position and said that it would be unnecessary to instruct him in the duties of his office.

—Mr. Frederick A. Ober, the gifted author and lecturer, will deliver a course of lectures in the Central Congregational church, Tuesday evenings. The dates have been arranged for Oct. 8, 15, and 22. The subjects of his course this year comprise Spain, Africa, Mexico, West Indies and ancient American cities.

—Messrs. Henry F. Ross, C. W. Beals, Charles Jordan and Edward W. Hodgson were among remonstrants who appeared at the hearing given the Newton Street Railway Company, before the aldermen, Monday evening, setting forth their objections to the plan of locating its tracks on the side rather than the centre of Washington street.

—Citizens of Newtonville, representative Republicans, want to know what a certain local paper means in stating that the caucus for postmaster was a small one, so far as the complement of Republicans was concerned. The number of Republicans present at the caucus who voted for Mr. Turner was 85, while only 56 attended the caucus for the choice of delegates to the state and other conventions.

—James Kelly and John Byrne, employed as laborers on the Valentine estate improvements, went into J. T. Hill's stable yesterday afternoon and took a banjo and three pairs of pantaloons, the property of John Fells, from one of the sleeping rooms. Libbey, who came after the theft, had been committed. Byrne and Kelly were arrested by Officers Bosworth and Clay and locked up at the central station. Both men had been drinking.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw has an article in the Grand Army Record concerning pensions. In it he says: "This fastening oneself like a barnacle on the ship of state, to me, reminds me of a story of a man who rescued another from drowning, and utilized the rescue efforts as a means of sundry favors. I fought for my country, but it was my country. In doing that I put myself above and out of the reach of money considerations, therefore Uncle Sam owes me nothing. Had I been crippled or disabled, I ought to be the ward of the government. Then's my sentiments and creed."

—At the annual assembly of Gethsemane Commandery, K. T. held in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, a visitation was received from Edward S. Wright, the well-known lecturer of the grand commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. It was the 17th annual meeting of this commandery and the election of officers resulted as follows: George T. Coppings, E. C.; Rufus G. Brown, Genl.; Charles A. Peck, C. G., John T. Fisher, prelate; George Breeden, S. F.; Dr. W. B. Brewster, treasurer; Asa C. Jewett, recorder. Other commanderies were represented at the meeting, visitors being present from Natick, Boston and other places. The financial report showed that the commandery was free from debt, with a healthy balance in the treasury.

—At a regular communication of Dalhousie Lodge, F. and A. M., held in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, three candidates

were initiated in the entered apprentice degree. At the conclusion of the work, the following election was held for the ensuing term: W. A. Harwood, assisted by Worshipful Brother W. A. Wetherbee; John W. Fisher, W. M.; Geo. W. Whitman, S. W.; Robert Bennett, J. W.; E. E. Morgan, secretary; G. W. Blodgett, chaplain; Eliot J. Hyde, marshal; C. W. Brown, J. D.; J. A. Gleason, J. D. The appointed officers were: J. H. A. Kelley, S. A. F. Winslow, organist; Alexander Chisholm, tyler. At the conclusion of the ceremony the masonic brethren adjourned to the banquet hall, where a collation was partaken of. Quite a number of visitors were present from other lodges. The music for the occasion was rendered by the Dalhousie quartet.

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—How about that gas lamp on Henshaw Place?

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—The State delegates from this ward are Messrs. W. S. Sloane, G. F. Churchill, R. C. Bridgman, all for Brackett. The vote stood for Brackett, 43; Crapo, 13. Crapo was unrepresented by Messrs. H. F. Ross, B. S. Grant and C. H. Cunningham.

—Mr. Alexander Chisholm was installed as tyler of Dalhousie Lodge for the twenty-first time, Wednesday evening. Postmaster A. C. Harwood, the installing officer, in his remarks, alluded to his long service in that position and said that it would be unnecessary to instruct him in the duties of his office.

—Mr. Frederick A. Ober, the gifted author and lecturer, will deliver a course of lectures in the Central Congregational church, Tuesday evenings. The dates have been arranged for Oct. 8, 15, and 22. The subjects of his course this year comprise Spain, Africa, Mexico, West Indies and ancient American cities.

—Messrs. Henry F. Ross, C. W. Beals, Charles Jordan and Edward W. Hodgson were among remonstrants who appeared at the hearing given the Newton Street Railway Company, before the aldermen, Monday evening, setting forth their objections to the plan of locating its tracks on the side rather than the centre of Washington street.

—Citizens of Newtonville, representative Republicans, want to know what a certain local paper means in stating that the caucus for postmaster was a small one, so far as the complement of Republicans was concerned. The number of Republicans present at the caucus who voted for Mr. Turner was 85, while only 56 attended the caucus for the choice of delegates to the state and other conventions.

—James Kelly and John Byrne, employed as laborers on the Valentine estate improvements, went into J. T. Hill's stable yesterday afternoon and took a banjo and three pairs of pantaloons, the property of John Fells, from one of the sleeping rooms. Libbey, who came after the theft, had been committed. Byrne and Kelly were arrested by Officers Bosworth and Clay and locked up at the central station. Both men had been drinking.

—Mr. E. Bradshaw has an article in the Grand Army Record concerning pensions. In it he says: "This fastening oneself like a barnacle on the ship of state, to me, reminds me of a story of a man who rescued another from drowning, and utilized the rescue efforts as a means of sundry favors. I fought for my country, but it was my country. In doing that I put myself above and out of the reach of money considerations, therefore Uncle Sam owes me nothing. Had I been crippled or disabled, I ought to be the ward of the government. Then's my sentiments and creed."

—At the annual assembly of Gethsemane Commandery, K. T. held in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, a visitation was received from Edward S. Wright, the well-known lecturer of the grand commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. It was the 17th annual meeting of this commandery and the election of officers resulted as follows: George T. Coppings, E. C.; Rufus G. Brown, Genl.; Charles A. Peck, C. G., John T. Fisher, prelate; George Breeden, S. F.; Dr. W. B. Brewster, treasurer; Asa C. Jewett, recorder. Other commanderies were represented at the meeting, visitors being present from Natick, Boston and other places. The financial report showed that the commandery was free from debt, with a healthy balance in the treasury.

—At a regular communication of Dalhousie Lodge, F. and A. M., held in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, three candidates

were initiated in the entered apprentice degree. At the conclusion of the work, the following election was held for the ensuing term: A. L. Harwood, assisted by Worshipful Brother W. A. Wetherbee; John W. Fisher, W. M.; Geo. W. Whitman, S. W.; Robert Bennett, J. W.; E. E. Morgan, secretary; G. W. Blodgett, chaplain; Eliot J. Hyde, marshal; C. W. Brown, J. D.; J. A. Gleason, J. D. The appointed officers were: J. H. A. Kelley, S. A. F. Winslow, organist; Alexander Chisholm, tyler. At the conclusion of the ceremony the masonic brethren adjourned to the banquet hall, where a collation was partaken of. Quite a number of visitors were present from other lodges. The music for the occasion was rendered by the Dalhousie quartet.

—An enjoyable entertainment was given in Knights of Honor Hall, Monday evening, under the auspices of Crescent Commandery, U. O. G. C. The program proved interesting and enjoyable, and consisted of Newton City boys' recitation, Miss Edith Chadbourne of Newton Centre; piano solos, Miss Eva Chadbourne and Lizzie Mills; piano duet, Misses Eva Chadbourne and Lizzie Mills; banjo solo, Miss Anna Chadbourne, Melrose; whistling duet, banjo and accompaniment; Miss Anna Chadbourne and Mr. Bert Hatch; organist, Alexander Chisholm, tyler. The usual social features followed the entertainment. Similar entertainments will be given during the winter season.

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## A CITIZEN'S VIEWS

IN REGARD TO THE NATIONALIST APPEAL  
AND MR. BRACKETT.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC:

There has recently been issued through the press an address from the "Nationalist Club," ostensibly "to strengthen Republican government," but which reads as the strongest kind of partisan politics against the very life of the Republican party.

Given, the necessity of parties in this constitutional form of government of ours, and it is very important that they be held up to the highest possibilities of pure politics that shall insure for the benefit of our whole people.

Neither of the great parties of to-day or those especially arrayed on moral issues, can claim to possess all the virtues within their ranks, and charge all that is vicious to the other side.

There are those who are ever looking backward and sighing for the good old days when there were giants in the land, where are now found only pygmies. That in former times politics were sinnot, pure and no dark ways or means, whereas now-a-days corruption is the rule, vexation the common course, and honor a matter of bargain and sale, with the saying "every man has his price."

Now, a moment's thoughtfulness must disprove this mean insinuation, born of doubt, distrust and skepticism. We believe that in these days in which we are living our national, state and community life, on the whole, is on a higher plane than ever before, that in the years, decades, that have passed there have been men who did their whole duty so far as possible. That in each stage of our national history men have been ready for the emergencies, in both church and state, and that now in these passing years—yes, in this year of our Lord 1889—there are men as patriotic, as unselfish, as truly disinterested and as honest in striving for the best interests of our Commonwealth, as there have been in any decade that has passed.

The charge of the Nationalist Club that "the legislature of 1889 betrayed the people whose rights it swore to protect" and "invariably favored the demands of private and moneyed interests at the expense of the public," and was "the servant of a strong and powerful lobby"—is not only a studied insult on that body of men, but in almost every way a false and malicious attack on honorable men.

Editor, let our citizens who have seen these charges in the papers, think over for a minute the men whom they have known as the chosen representatives, from our own city and vicinity. Are they men who would "betray the people"? If our representatives, and these we may know personally, are honest men, why not to a very large proportion at least those from other districts throughout the state?

I am assured by those competent to pass judgment that the legislature of '89 will compare favorably with its predecessors in average ability and fully in the integrity of its members.

It is a healthy sign in the body politic when the primary meetings are well attended, here is our greatest safe guard. If the people will only consider it a duty to be present at these formative periods of our political life, all will be well in spite of the insinuation that the "lobby," the great bug-a-boo, even dictates and decides who and what shall be the men and measures.

It is well for our state that this year the people are generally awake and aroused and we are soon to learn whom that political party known as Republican will place forward as a standard bearer. Mr. Brackett and Mr. Crapo are both good men, either would make a good governor, one of them doubtless will be the next governor of our state.

It seems but fair and in justice to ask for space to deny here that the "lobby" is working for Mr. Brackett's nomination. This we believe untrue; the lobby, like other men, work for a consideration and it is a well-known fact that Mr. Brackett or his friends have no large sum of money to spend in trying to influence his election. So far as money goes it is well admitted fact that Mr. Crapo is the fortunate possessor of a large fortune, while Mr. Brackett is comparatively a poor man and if merit and not money shall dictate a choice it would seem to be in Mr. Brackett's favor, as he is not of that "vast moneyed power seeking to tax the public for their profit."

In the matter of the great question of temperance legislation one thing is sure beyond dispute. Whatever Mr. Crapo's principles may be, we know what Mr. Brackett has done. For the last three years he has been chairman of a Sabbath evening union meeting temperance service where No License was urged as a moral and religious duty.

Mr. Brackett was an active worker in that line, and voted as he preached. No license, and he was perhaps as instrumental in carrying Arlington as a No license town as any man in it. "By their fruits ye shall know them."

In reference to character in the legislature of '89. It should be a matter of pride that our representative from Ward 2, in his second year of service, was recognized as a safe, judicial leader, one in whom the House trusted for his honorable dealing and his manly integrity, he was but one of many. "Sans fear, Sans reproche."

CITIZEN.

## Newton Christian Alliance.

The Newton Branch of the "Christian Alliance" held its annual business meeting in Summer Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 9th.

The secretary reported a membership of about twenty-five, and a year of prosperity and blessing. Two weekly meetings have been held in Summer Hall, one on Wednesdays at 7:30, the other on Sundays at 5 p.m.

These have been seasons of great spiritual uplifting, not only to the members of the Alliance but to many others.

Several souls have been converted during the year, while others have come into "the fullness of the blessing of Christ." The treasurer was able to report all bills met and a small balance in the treasury.

The officers for the ensuing are: President, Mr. Clark W. Morehouse; vice-presidents, Mrs. A. Huntress, Mrs. E. F. Hyde, Mr. C. O. Lummis; secretary, Mrs. K. L. Stevenson; treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Morehouse; executive committee, Mr. J. H. Gilkey, Mrs. Geo. Edwards, Miss Mabel Kilbourn, Mr. William Hicks and Mr. John T. Lawrence.

The regular weekly meetings will continue to be held on Wednesday evenings and Sunday afternoons in the hall in Summer's block, and a cordial welcome will be extended to all. The Branch is believing for a year of more aggressive work and larger victories.

The Christian Alliance is not, in any sense, an ecclesiastical body but is a fraternal union of Christians of all denominations, who are united by their common belief in Christ as "Saviour, Sanctifier, Healer and Coming Lord." It does its

existence as an organization but four years back, but its spread has been phenomenal, there being hardly a state or territory without local branches, while the work is spreading throughout Canada and missionaries are already in India, China, Japan and Africa.

The work of the Alliance is very simple and markedly free from "red tape." It consists largely in the holding of meetings and conventions for the spread of the truth; in the distribution of literature, there being a Publishing House in N. Y. City at 602 8th avenue, whence issues the weekly paper "The Christian Alliance," and in the prayer and sympathy which each member is expected to give to all others.

The view of Christ's second coming, as held by the majority of the members, is what is called the Pre-Millennial view, though one may belong to the Alliance and still be a Post-Millenarian, that being considered of minor importance.

The teachings concerning Divine Healing are simple and accurate, entirely free from the taint of Christian Science, but still Christ as the Healer of His people is held up as the glorious privilege of all God's children, it is made very secondary in importance to the necessity of taking Him as Saviour and Sanctifier. "Holiness unto the Lord" is made the watchword.

We are sure there is room for such an organization in Newton and we bespeak the prayers and sympathy of "all who love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity."

K. L. STEVENSON, Secretary.

## Literary Notes.

The publishers of St. Nicholas announce that that popular children's magazine is to be enlarged, beginning with the new volume, which opens with November, 1889, and that a new and clearer type will be adopted. Four important serial stories by four well-known American authors will be given during the coming year.

Mr. Frank R. Stockton has written a new and characteristic story called "The Merry Chantier." It will begin in the November Century and run through four numbers. The story takes its name from a vessel which started from a Massachusetts port on a peculiar cruise. The owners, a young married couple, are on board, and the vessel is commanded and manned by four village captains of unusual experience. Mr. Dana Gibson will illustrate it. The November Century is also to contain a new story by Mark Twain.

During the coming volume The Century is to have an illustrated series of articles on the French Salons of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, including pen portraits of many of the leaders and a detailed account of the organization and composition of several historical salons. A great number of interesting portraits will be given with the series.

## The Newtonville Caucus.

(Springfield Republican.)

Republicans of Newtonville held a caucus Saturday evening and endorsed the democratic postmaster for re-appointment, on the sound ground that he had attended strictly to business and greatly improved the local service. This is business-like and sensible, but some of the politicians are kicking. Will the administration head them or the people? Clarkson will be ready enough to name some green republican unless he is overruled by a higher power.

"But, Max, don't you think it extravagant to give \$300 for a diamond to wear on my hand?" "Not at all my dear; you don't consider how much I shall save on your gloves?"—[Fliegende Blätter.

The kind and correct thing to say to the come home is, "I hope you feel rested from your vacation." Nobody says rested by your vacation, except those who haven't had any.—[Boston Commonwealth.

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## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Austen, P. T. Chemical Lecture Notes, 102,506

A, A collection of notes and observations on certain topics which experience as a teacher has shown often give the student more or less trouble."—Pref.

Baldwin, W. J. Hot-Water Heating and Fitting; or, Warming Buildings and Water; a Description of Modern Hot-Water Heating Apparatus, 105,279

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#### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Prof. Geo. R. Hoye has returned to Richmond, Va.

—Magic Glycerine Soap will leave flannels soft and fleecy.

—Fred Hovey has returned to his studies at Brown University.

—Mr. Fred T. Stuart is at Annisquam for a few days, sketching.

—Mrs. W. O. Stearns is quite ill with malaria and typhoid fever.

—Mr. D. Kidder and family of Summer street have returned home.

—Mr. Garrett Schenck of Rice street has returned from his vacation.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—Mr. Harry Boynton returned this week to Amherst, where he is in college.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peters and family returned on Saturday from Hull.

—Dr. A. E. Lawrence is expected home from his vacation in Maine, tomorrow.

—Mr. Wm. B. Rice and family of Lake avenue have returned from Swampscot.

—Mrs. H. H. Read and family have returned from their summer stay at Walpole.

—Mr. Wm. Bartholomew of Centre street is enjoying the scenery at Bellows Falls, Vt.

—Miss Gertrude Lambkin of Station street returned this week from Saratoga, N. Y.

—Miss Carrie Dudley of Station street has been visiting her sister in Worcester, Mass.

—Mrs. Everett and daughters of Boston have been visiting Mr. Charles Everett this week.

—Mr. Geo. Smith has moved from the brick block to one of H. Cousins' houses on Station street.

—Miss Martha L. Hazelton of Parker street is with the Baptist delegation at Braintree, N. H.

—Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Gates of Parker street have returned from their two weeks' stay at Bar Harbor.

—Mr. F. A. Gardner has returned from his vacation in New Hampshire to his residence on Summer street.

—The clock on the Mason schoolhouse stopped at 12:06 Tuesday morning, doubtless for a short vacation.

—Mr. Frank Pope of Ridge avenue has returned from Maine, where he has been on a two weeks' vacation.

—Mrs. Persis Bartlett returned this week to her home on Cypress street, after an absence of several months.

—Mr. George E. Warren has gone to New York this week, where he expects to be in business this winter.

—Miss Carrie Capron and Mr. Philip Capron of Beacon street have returned from their trip to the mountains.

—Judge Aldrich and family of Worcester have been with Mrs. Wardwell this week; she is a daughter of Judge Aldrich.

—Mr. and Mrs. Noyes of Summer street returned this week from North Scituate, where they have passed the summer.

—Mr. Albert Cole is at home from Washington, D. C., visiting his father, the first time he has been in town for two years.

—Mr. J. C. Holden, station agent, has moved into the new house of Mr. Mellen Bray, just completed on Railroad avenue.

—Mr. J. R. Bailey and family have returned to their winter home in Boston and Prof. Brown again occupies his house on Institution avenue.

—Mr. George Leonard and family, who have been occupying Dr. Bates' residence on Beacon street, returned to their home in Boston on Saturday.

—Mr. Wm. T. Wardwell of Beacon street died very suddenly Saturday night on his return from his usual day's business in Boston. The funeral was held on Tuesday.

—Dr. Mary E. Bates has returned from the Atlantic House, Nantasket, where she has spent the summer. Fred and Harry Bates have returned from the White Mountains.

—Mr. Worth and family, who have been occupying the residence of Mr. B. E. Taylor on Beacon street through the summer months, have returned to Boston for the winter.

—Mr. Frank Pierce of Oak Hill went in for a day last week and succeeded in about two hours' time in pulling twenty picketts from the Charles river, five or six of which were very large.

—Rev. William Stearns, son of Prof. Stearns, preached in the Baptist church on Sunday, Rev. Lemuel C. Barnes filling Mr. Stearns' appointment in Springfield, there being illness in the latter's family.

—Mr. George Walton, who has been connected with the Baptist church, chattered to several of his congregation last Sunday night, to the regret of the society. After this, he intends travelling with the Swedish Quartet.

—The sudden death of Hon. J. B. Barnaby of the 11th, will bring sorrow to many hearts, being widely known in Boston and the suburban towns. Mrs. Chas. A. Clark of Beacon street is a niece of the deceased.

—List of letters uncalled for, Sept. 10th: Mr. J. A. Alden, Miss Blum, Miss Mary D. Callahan, Miss Eleanor Gile, Miss Clara Saver, Miss Effie Hibbard, Mr. F. E. Hollis, B. Lechart, Mr. Michael Hart, Henry McCarty, Miss L. E. More, Mrs. L. Moore, Mr. A. O. Wheeler, Mr. S. B. Wilbur, Geo. F. Richardson, P. M.

—Messrs. Pearmain and Brooks are sending to their customers King's annotated map of Massachusetts, bound in a handy and attractive cover. The map gives a great deal of information in a small space, and will be a pleasant reminder of the enterprising work of bankers and brokers who issued it.

—Mr. Wm. P. Hollis of Brighton with a load of lumber was watering his horse yesterday when the animal started, bringing a piece of lumber, which projected over the horse, against the pyramid to the watering trough, breaking it off, frightening the horse and attracting considerable attention, but quiet was soon restored.

—Mr. H. H. Read has sold his new house on Glenwood avenue to Mr. Edson of Boston. Mr. Everett's new house on the same avenue has also been sold to Mr. Ashley. Both parties will occupy at once. The cellar for Mr. Daniels' new house on Parker street has been commenced, Mr. Gary having the contract for building the house.

—The various committees having charge of the 223d anniversary of the building of the First church, are hard at work. Invitations have been sent to all members of the church so as to be addressed to the association. The general program for the celebration which occurs on Sunday and Monday, Oct. 6th and 7th has been decided upon and will be announced in due season. A large gathering is expected.

—The Order of the Iron Hall initiated one candidate last Tuesday evening and had a lemon party beside. Each member was furnished with a lemon, the prizes being won by the ones who ate up his lemon first, had the most seeds, or least seeds. The first prize was awarded Fred

Berry, the second went to Wm. Durusha and the third to James Martin, the remainder of the evening being passed in a social manner.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Stevens started Monday morning on the trip with the N. E. Gruber's association through New York City, Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. They are now in Boston, having come on this excursion, which returns to Boston tomorrow. Congressman Morse accompanying them, to see that they are well acquainted before their return with President Harrison and other gentlemen inhabiting Washington at this time.

—Prayers were held at the house of Mr. William T. Wardwell on Tuesday at one o'clock, Dr. Farber made the prayer and read the scripture. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Col. B. Kingsbury, Mrs. Davis, White, Mass., Bell, Webster, Mrs. Chapman, A. Shapley. A large number of friends attended the services and followed to the cemetery, where after another selection by the quartet, the body of Mr. Wardwell was placed in the family tomb by the pall bearers, Mr. Avery Rand, Col. Kingsbury, Mr. S. F. Wilkins, Mr. Bishop, Mr. Ordway and Mr. Samuel Ward.

—Ruggles Street Quartet and other talent at City Hall, Oct. 2. Fifty cents.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peters and family returned on Saturday from Hull.

—Dr. A. E. Lawrence is expected home from his vacation in Maine, tomorrow.

—Mr. Wm. B. Rice and family of Lake avenue have returned from Swampscot.

—Mrs. H. H. Read and family have returned from their summer stay at Walpole.

—Mr. Wm. Bartholomew of Centre street is enjoying the scenery at Bellows Falls, Vt.

—Miss Gertrude Lambkin of Station street returned this week from Saratoga, N. Y.

—Miss Carrie Dudley of Station street has been visiting her sister in Worcester, Mass.

—Mrs. Everett and daughters of Boston have been visiting Mr. Charles Everett this week.

—Mr. Geo. Smith has moved from the brick block to one of H. Cousins' houses on Station street.

—Miss Martha L. Hazelton of Parker street is with the Baptist delegation at Braintree, N. H.

—Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Gates of Parker street have returned from their two weeks' stay at Bar Harbor.

—Mr. F. A. Gardner has returned from his vacation in New Hampshire to his residence on Summer street.

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—Woodman's base ball puzzle for sale at Harrington.

—Mrs. J. L. Francis returned from Europe this week.

—Mrs. Henry L. Fearing is visiting Mrs. E. J. Whiton, Church street.

—Many call on G. Wilkins Shaw, hear about Newton and are happy.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Smith and daughter returned this week from Beverly.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ellwood have returned from their European trip.

—Mrs. J. L. Bird are at Wianano, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrington have gone to housekeeping on Church street.

—Mr. Henry E. Cobb and family are stopping temporarily at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Miss C. M. Post will open her dancing school at Armory Hall on Oct. 18th. See adv.

—Rev. Minot J. Savage will preach at the Unitarian church at Watertown. Sunday.

—Prof. Seelye of Smith College occupied the pulpit in the Eliot church last Sunday morning.

—Rev. Henry F. Spaulding and family have returned from their stay at the White Mountains.

—Ladies who wish to vote for school committee must register at City Hall before October 1.

—Alderman Hamblen and family returned yesterday from their summer home in North Scituate.

—Mr. J. E. Merrill and family have returned from their summer's sojourn at the Hesperus, Magnolia.

—The Newtons and West Newtons will play a game of ball for a purse on the Magnolia grounds, Saturday afternoon.

—Mr. Fred Wilson, son of Judge J. T. Wilson of Nahant, has been spending a week with his cousin, Dr. J. F. Fribis, Centre street.

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

THE GAMEWELL POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM  
ADOPTED BY BOTH BRANCHES.

Both branches of the city government met Monday evening; present Aldermen Harbach, Childs, Pettee, Tolman, Hamblen. Mayor Burr presided, and Col. I. F. Kingsbury was appointed to take charge of the interment of honorably discharged soldiers.

## ELECTION OFFICERS.

The following list of election officers was read and laid over for one week under the rules.

WARD 1—Warden, R. Orlando Evans, R.; Deputy, Edwin A. Smallwood, R.; Clerk, Seth C. Stevens, D.; Deputy, Geo. R. Aston, D.; Inspectors, Fred H. Stone, R., Charles H. Stuart, D., Herbert H. Powell, R., W. F. Grace, D.; Deputies, Albert P. Bugbee, R., Daniel J. Mahoney, D., Fred H. Loveland, R., John E. Crowley, D.

WARD 2, Precinct 1—Warden, Henry P. Dearborn, D.; Deputy, George T. Lincoln, D.; Clerk, L. E. G. Green, R.; Deputy, Uriah H. Dyer, R.; Inspectors, L. H. Cranitch, D., J. D. Billings, R., Charles Newell, D., E. G. Bradshaw, R.; Deputies, Walter Connor, R., T. G. Cutter, R., W. F. Dunn, D., Edward Rumery, R.; Precinct 2—Warden, Deputy, George A. Mead, D.; Clerk, W. S. Higgins, R.; Deputy, Alfred B. Tainter, R.; Inspectors, W. W. Palmer, R., John Cotton, D., E. W. Bailey, R., J. H. Williams, D.; Deputies, A. A. Sawyer, R., Charles H. Johnson, R., W. Cunningham, D., George M. Bridges, D.

WARD 3—Warden, H. C. Wood, R.; Deputy, F. E. Hunter, R.; Clerk, M. F. Hargriddon, D.; Deputy, Eugene F. Conroy, D.; Inspectors, Arthur R. Coe, R., Frank H. Humphrey, D., A. Stuart Pratt, R., George L. V. Tyler, D.; Deputies, Edward L. Lemon, R., Frank C. Sherridan, D., C. H. Wyman, D.

WARD 4—Warden, George E. Johnson, D.; Deputy, Bernard Early, D.; Clerk, H. H. Master, R.; Deputy, G. Lyman Snow, R.; Inspectors, Henry Washburn, D., George W. Chamberlain, R., Andrew B. Hayden, R., Fred Plummer, D.; Deputies, T. C. Donavan, D., Benjamin B. Clark, R., Edward H. Kenney, D., Frank R. Kimball, R.

WARD 5, Precinct 1—Warden, Albert J. Green, R.; Deputy, John W. Howe, R.; Clerk, Frank W. Barney, D.; Deputy, Chas. B. Bancroft, D.; Inspectors, Daniel Kellogg, D., C. H. Randall, R., Otis Pettee, R., Martin D. Loran, D.; Deputies, J. F. Brown, R.; John J. Kenepick, D., Eben Thompson, R., Frank Fanning, D.; Precinct 2—Warden, Joseph R. Smith, D.; Deputy, John Glover, R.; Clerk, Erastus Gott, R.; Deputy, E. H. Greenwood, R.; Inspectors, Fred A. O'Connor, R., Charles H. Burr, D., Geo. Leomard, R., H. W. Taylor, D.; Deputies, D. J. Clifford, D., C. F. Hall, R., A. W. Small, D., Newton Crane, R.

WARD 6—Warden, Samuel M. Jackson, D.; Deputy, Asa C. Jewett, D.; Clerk, Zadoc Long, R.; Deputy, Geo. E. Wales, R.; Inspectors, James W. Hill, D., Arthur McIndoe, R., D. H. McWain, D., Howard Carleton, R.; Deputies, Walter Thorpe, R., H. A. Tomlinson, D., Walter H. Thorpe, D., Harvey H. Huie, R.

WARD 7—Warden, A. B. Huff, R.; Deputy, J. E. Hills, R.; Clerk, Moses Clark, Jr., D.; Deputy, H. C. Daniels, D.; Inspector, R. B. Edes, R., George W. Lamson, D., Arthur C. Mudge, D., George M. Weed, R.; Deputies, Joseph W. Howard, R., Lewis H. Farlow, D., Fred G. Kimball, R., M. V. B. Paine, D.

## PETITIONS.

V. Haffermehl and others asked for two street lamps on Beecher Place, Ward 6, and one on Carlisle street. F. W. Fuller's petition for license to erect a private stable on Wales street, Ward 4, was granted. John Joyce was granted license to put up wagon shed, 40 by 18 feet on Thornton street. Emma A. Allen was granted a license to keep an intelligence office, corner of Washington and Walnut streets. W. F. Hammatt asked to have a telephone pole in front of his residence, corner of Sargent street and Hyde avenue removed, as there were two poles, a hydrant and a catch basin in front of his house, and this pole stood in the street, and promises had been made to have it removed; referred to license committee.

## ORDERS.

On motion of Alderman Pettee an order was passed appropriating \$500 for the purchase of voting stalls, desks, rails, and other fixtures for the several voting precincts.

An order was passed naming the polling places for the State and municipal elections. They are the usual places save in Ward 2, which has room 4, Central block and Tremont hall, and Ward 5, which has the Old Prospect school house at Upper Falls, and the hall in Stevens' block, Newton Highlands.

## THE GAMEWELL POLICE SYSTEM.

Alderman Pettee presented an order instructing the committee on police to contract with the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph company for the introduction of the police signal system in Newton, at a cost not to exceed \$4,800, in accordance with the proposals submitted in June, 1889.

Alderman Tolm moved to table the order in order that it might be called up later, but the motion was lost 3 to 2.

Alderman Pettee said he would have been willing to have the order tabled if he had known why such a motion was made. He offered the order because he was impressed with the necessity of the city council taking some action on the matter. Last year money was appropriated for a police signal system because it was thought a necessity for Newton to have one. The city council had had long hearings, had debated the matter at great length, and the common council had taken such action that it was impossible for the Municipal company to come up there this year. He thought the business should be finished. The police company had made no report since the action of the council, and there had been no delay enough and discussion enough. He favored the Gamewell company because he could not see why it was not as good as any other system, and a company that made such a perfect fire alarm system, on which so much depended, was certainly able to make a system to call a wagon to remove a drunken man. All the members were satisfied in their own minds, he thought, and there was no need of further delay.

Alderman Childs said that in 1888 it was considered very necessary to have a police signal system, and the finance committee was appealed to make an appropriation for that purpose. The

matter rested till June, when the police committee recommended the Municipal. The recommendation was defeated. Nothing had been done by the committee since, and he thought if it was so important to have a police signal system, there should be no delay. He had favored the Gamewell system because he believed after thorough investigation that it was the equal and indeed the superior of the Municipal system. The Gamewell company was a home company, and should be encouraged. They had never given a poor piece of fire apparatus, and would not give a poor police signal system. There was no reason for referring it back to the police committee, their duty had ended, and there was no use in further delay. If the police signal service was needed last fall it was needed now, and further reference could only delay the matter, probably till another year. The Municipal company were boasting now that Newton had refused to take the Gamewell system, and were using this as an argument, although it was far from being the truth. Another thing might be stated, although it was not an argument—the Gamewell company were thinking of building a new and larger factory, moving to another site, and employing 100 men, and have works worth \$80,000. The tax on this would go a good ways toward paying the cost of the Gamewell system. If Newton refused to do anything with them, they might listen to other cities which were offering them free sites, freedom from taxation, and other inducements. Waltham was making a great effort to get them there, and they had to decide the matter this week. If the matter was referred back, he was frank to say that he did not believe any move towards adopting a system would be made this year.

Alderman Tolman moved that the order be referred to a special committee of two aldermen and three councilmen. He did not do this in the interest of the Municipal system; he had no prejudice against the Gamewell system, and was ready to consider that company when the order came regularly before the board. Such reference would give the common council a voice in the matter. He was in favor of putting in some system now, and he would not say but that he would vote for the Gamewell.

Alderman Childs thought the common council had got plenty of light on the matter already, as it had been so fully discussed.

Alderman Hamblen was in favor of having some system now, and he had looked over both systems and their workings, and preferred the Gamewell. He could not see where the thousand extra cost of the other system came from. The Gamewell was fully the equal, if not a better system.

Alderman Pettee did not see the use of further delays and another labyrinth of mystery with electrical experts. The committee had had since June to report and had done nothing.

Alderman Childs could see no earthly object to be gained by a reference to a committee, except to postpone the whole thing to another year.

Alderman Tolman thought it would be a good thing to have further investigation by a new committee, but he did not want to be understood as working in the interest of the Municipal company, as he was not sure that the Gamewell might not be entirely satisfactory.

The amendment failed to pass and the order was then passed 3 to 1, Alderman Harbach voting no.

## THE LOWER FALLS BRIDGE.

Alderman Harbach read an order which was passed, appropriating \$732.65, and such sums as might be received from the town of Wellesley for the payment of outstanding bills for the construction of the bridge at Lower Falls. He said that after the appropriation of \$5,000 was made for the new bridge, it was voted to raise the grade, and that caused an extra expense; the unusual high water also caused extra expense, and the two temporary bridges and approaches thereto made the total amount foot up to the amount stated.

## THE STREET RAILWAY AMENDMENTS.

Alderman Harbach presented the street railway order amended, the changes being that the railway tracks are to be laid on the south side of Washington street, where the street is directly adjacent to the Boston & Albany road, that when the track is on the side of the street chairs can be dispensed with, that the railway company can use concrete or macadam for filling where either will be satisfactory to the highway committee, and that they can use a 45 pound straight rail. The report was accepted and an order passed with a provision that if the filling used was not satisfactory to the highway committee, the company should pave between the tracks and for 18 inches outside, that if the straight rail failed to satisfy the requirements, the Richards rail should be substituted. Alderman Harbach stated that the only private lot passed by the tracks on the side of the street was a small vacant lot next to the Hook & Ladder house in Ward 2.

The Street Railway company petitioned to be authorized to enter upon and use the West End railway tracks on Centre street, and also to be authorized to use electricity as a motive power and erect appliances for the same. Referred to a special committee consisting of Alderman Harbach, Tolman and Johnson.

Mr. J. Mague was granted a license to put up a wagon shed on Maguire Court, 16 by 45 feet.

Mr. E. W. Wood was appointed a committee on revision of the city statutes in place of Mayor Fowle, declined.

Amos L. Hale was appointed registrar of voters, after which the board took a recess, and then adjourned to next Monday evening, to receive election returns.

## THE COMMON COUNCIL.

When the Gamewell police signal contract came up, said Councilman Hyde spoke in favor of the Gamewell company because it was thought a necessity for Newton to have one. The city council had had long hearings, had debated the matter at great length, and the common council had taken such action that it was impossible for the Municipal company to come up there this year. He thought the business should be finished. The police company had made no report since the action of the council, and there had been no delay enough and discussion enough. He favored the Gamewell company because he could not see why it was not as good as any other system, and a company that made such a perfect fire alarm system, on which so much depended, was certainly able to make a system to call a wagon to remove a drunken man. All the members were satisfied in their own minds, he thought, and there was no need of further delay.

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## Our Annual Meeting.

The First Annual Meeting of the Club will be held on Monday, October 7, 1889, at 7:30 p. m. in Nickerson's Hall, West Newton. Let every member be on hand.

## Republican Free Traders.

NO. 10.

"If we had been given free wool a year ago the wool industry would be alive today. I believe the depression in the wool trade, which is causing so many failures, is due to the excessive duty on wool and woolen manufactures. I am a Republican myself. I carried a banner for Fremont in 1856 and have been a Republican ever since."

JOHN CROWTHER.

John Crowther is the junior master of the firm of David Crowther and Son, woolen yarn manufacturers of Germantown, Penn. He is not a doctrinaire but a practical man whose time and strength have been spent in the mill since the age of ten.

## Only a Free Trade Notice!

"There are four modes by which the industry of the country can be protected, and one of them is the admission, free of duty, of every article which aids the operations of the manufacturers."

HENRY CLAY.

## Then and Now.

To the Congress of the United States of America.

1885 1889

Give us free wool. O! Congress, you are very wise and good. Congresses we leave to you to this have been very stupid in this matter of wool taxes. It and within our beats us entirely. memory seventeen But one thing we changes in the wool tariff have been just a little more made by Representatives and Senators who know nothing now. Come, make it 100 per cent, and we shall be content.

Raw materials free,

we can compete with Europe.

William Whitman,

D. L. Einstein,

Thomas Dolan,

John L. Houston,

Rufus S. Frost,

Joseph Sawyer,

Chas. F. Fairbanks,

Benjamin Phipps,

Lewis N. Gilbert,

John N. Carpenter.

## More, More, More.

The woolen manufacturers met and resolved. The first resolve was that were consistent! Just four years ago they wanted free wool, and to-day they don't want them. That is consistency. After such a barefaced lie in the first resolution it is scarcely worth while to go further. In fact the action of these manufacturers is so preposterously silly, so outrageously false and mean, so astoundingly contradictory to common sense, that we must fall back upon silence as Falstaff did, and conclude by saying, "Oh for breath to utter what is like thee!" Some may think the following letter extravagant, but we print it as the sincere expression of the feeling of many conservative business men.

To the Secretary:-

That veteran pair of public beggars, the wool and the "woolen interests," are, by their impudent greed, driving the American people to a point when it is liable to lose its patience and thrust them out of doors to shift for themselves. After a whole generation of glutinous feeding at the public table they now, through their representative societies, put forth whimpering sets of resolution, lamenting their low diet and demanding more and better food. These last resolutions by the Association of Woolen Manufacturers are so full of hypocrisy, effrontery and absurdity, that we predict they will prove entirely too much for the public stomach. It is a curious partnership, this triangular arrangement between the Wool Producers, the Woolen Manufacturers and the National Treasury, whom for convenience we will name in their order as A, B and C. A and B are very rich but keen and hungry for more, C is also very rich but is fat and stupid. A gives certain advantages to B, and B returns equivalent advantages to A. C also gives enormous advantages to A and B but by no chance do A and B ever give anything to C. Consequently most people, including A and B, consider C a fool. When beseeching the generosity of C, A and B are as smiling and affectionate as two brothers, but the moment the charity is dispensed they quarrel over it like two thieves over the "swag." And this is the present contention. The Association of Wool Producers and the Association of Woolen Manufacturers are quarreling over the "swag." For 27 years these two public dependants have had "protection" such as has rarely been accorded to any interest in any time or place. During this period a tax of from 50 to 90 per cent, on foreign products—tax which has proved an outrageous burden on the consumer—has shielded them from the natural competition of the world. In the last few months since Boni, Harrington, President and Wm. Winslow, Secretary of the Treasury, these two native beneficiaries have had additional custom-house decisions made for them, which will transfer millions of dollars from the pockets of plain people to the hands of wealthy manufacturers and ranchmen. This golden stream is a stimulating liquor. Like all stimulants it is unhealthful and reacts upon the users. Their cry is ever for more stimulant. Like the drunkards, their thirst grows constantly stronger, until at last it seems that the fumes of high tariff liquor have actually fuddled the brains of the Wool and Woolen men. "Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad." The Wool and Woolen hangers on of the national treasury invite certain loss and bitter humiliation, if at this time of day, with the present temper of the American people, they come forward with bare-faced demands for still more and higher taxes on every form of their own special products, for the benefit of their own special pockets. That they should do so, is evidence of their hopeless blindness to the real situation and of the worthlessness of their judgment in the whole matter. The next general elections will give them a rude awakening, to find that their opportunity of compromising with

the great public, they have taxed so long and so heavily, is gone forever.

## BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

## THE OCTOBER HARPER'S.

Hunger for good American short stories can be satisfied by the feast of this species of literature to be found in the October number of Harper's Magazine. Edward Bellamy contributes a sketch entitled "With the Eyes Shut," which, even if the writer's name were not given, would betray, in the originality of its conception, the author of "Looking Backward"; Annie Trumbull Slosson develops a fanciful idea in "Butternecks." Margaret J. Preston tells in "Aunt Dorothy's Funeral," of obsequies which "man proposed," but which were subsequently celebrated with joy and merriment; and Mrs. Lucy C. Lillie, in "Captain Brooke's Prejudice," relates the story of a caprice and its consequences to two lovers. Professor Charles Eliot Norton, of Harvard University, presents a paper upon "The Building of the Church of St. Denis," W. W. Keene, M. D., the eminent Philadelphia surgeon, gives a clear and comprehensive account of "Recent Progress in Surgery." T. de Thulstrup furnishes many illustrations emphasizing Theodore Child's description of "The Fair of Nijni-Novgorod." Professor W. G. Blaikie, D. D., writes of "A Corner of Scotland worth Knowing." Two authors who are their own artists: Howard Pyle describing with pen and pencil, "A Peculiar People"—a German Baptist sect—the Dunkers of Pennsylvania; and Tristram Ellis, what he saw on a visit to "Hieropolis and its White Terrace." Edward A. Abbey illustrates "The Noble Patron," by Austin Dobson; and Alfred Parsons embellishes Wordsworth's sonnet, "Hail Twilight." Geo. Wm. Curtis and Wm. Dean Howells this month both speak of recent publications, and also certain subjects bearing upon our country. Charles Dudley Warner continues his story of American social life—"A Little Journey in the World"—and contributes to the Editor's Drawer a humorous essay upon a mysterious subject."

## BELFORD'S MAGAZINE.

Hon. Thomas B. Reed of Maine, the Republican Leader, will have an article in the October "Belford's" on "The Protection of Man" by Elizabeth Bisland is an article that will be read with pleasure by the ladies. An article of unusual interest to Grand Army men and readers generally by Gen. H. V. Boynton gives the true story of the battle of Shiloh. He claims that the documents Sherman has to show that he was not surprised then, are forged. "Belford's" for October will contain besides its complete monthly novel, "The Devil's Aviary," by Mary Davis, and no less than 30 other articles; it will be the most complete and interesting number from every point yet issued. Jefferson Davis' paper, "Does the Majority Rule?" will be looked for with interest by a large class of readers.

## THE CENTURY.

Seven writers—clergymen, college professors and public men, some of them specialists of acknowledged standing—have associated themselves to discuss special questions of social interest and import, and to prepare papers to be addressed to the public from time to time in the pages of The Century. The writers include the Rev. Professor Shields of Princeton, Bishop Potter of New York, the Rev. Dr. T. T. Mowry of New Haven, the Hon. Seth Low of Brooklyn, and Professor Ely of the Johns Hopkins University. For each paper the author will be responsible, but he will have had the benefit of the criticism of the other members of the group before giving it final form. The opening paper will be printed in the November Century. The Century has also in preparation a series of papers on topics relating to The Gold Hunters of California.

## ATLANTIC.

The October number of the Atlantic Monthly opens with a varied instalment of Mr. Browne's story "The Beggar's Daughter." The love scene at the end has for its background the lowering cloud of the American Revolution. Next follow "A Non-Combatant's War Reminiscences," by J. R. Kendrick, and Mr. John Fiske's "The Monmouth and Newport Campaigns," "The Government and Its Creditors," by Henry Loomis Nelson, is a solid and right-thinking article; and Mr. J. H. Thayer's recollections of Theodore Dwight Woolsey will receive a wide welcome. Mr. Lawton's translation of some of "The Closing Scenes of the Iliad" and comments upon others are delightful reading. Miss Sophie Kirk's "Primitivism" is remarkable in saying a good word both for the ideal and the real, but with a definite leaning toward the ideal; "Ladies and Learning," by L. D. Morgan, offers a skillful and entertaining resume of many of the narrow opinions held concerning the education of women from Roger Ascham down to Mrs. Barbauld; and the neat-handed Agnes Repplier, in "Fiction in the Pulpit," calls some of the greatest novelists of this century into the court of art to answer for their didactic offenses. Mrs. Chesnut's "Dave's Neckless," a story in the negro dialect, shows undeniably power and pathos; Mr. James in his superlatively clever novel, shirks a situation this month after a fashion his admirers have long since learned to expect; the contributors are ingenious and witty; and the verse, by Mr. Scollard and others, is of good quality.

## SCRIBNER'S.

In the first article of the current number of Scribner's Magazine Mr. Joseph Thomson tells how he crossed Masai Land. He is in love with savage life, he found Tabeta and the neighborhood of Kilimanjaro a wild paradise, and he had the happiness of a plunge in the waters of Nyanza at its northeastern corner. "Electricity in War"—naval warfare being care for by Lieut. W. S. Hughes, and land warfare by John Millis, first Lieutenant Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.—is of novel interest, and will surprise many people with its showing (greatly aided by competent illustrations) of the extent to which the nations already use the new force in destroying one another. "A Summer in Iceland" gave Mr. Charles Sprague Smith pleasure, and he sings prose poems of the fine air and the hospitality and simplicity of the people. The text is accompanied with pictures of some good types of people. Professor Shaler suggests practical ways of bettering "The Common Roads." Mr. Edward J. Lowell contributes a careful illustrated paper on that ever interesting person Benvenuto Cellini; and two short stories by Messrs. Bangs and Doderidge indicate moderate degrees of mischief. The conclusion of "The Master of Ballantrae" is sharply dramatic and the writing a marvel in its close texture. "A Scattering Shot at Some Rurualities," by Donald G. Mitchell, is happily much better than it title, for Mr. Mitchell has lost none of his meditative and discursive charm.

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## GOOD TEMPERANCE WORK.

THE present administration of city affairs is certainly to be recommended for its vigilance and success in breaking up illegal liquor selling within the limits of the city. The kitchen bar-rooms are being weeded out with a relentless hand and no favor is shown to any one suspected of being engaged in the business. Mayor Burr promised at the beginning of the year to see that the laws were enforced and how well he has done this is shown by the police court record. Up to September first there have been 21 convictions for illegal liquor selling, four more than under any previous administration during the same period. There have been two convictions since that date, and by the end of the year, according to present prospects, there will have been twice as many convictions as were ever before secured in any one year in Newton.

Mayor Burr certainly deserves great credit for the decided stand he has taken, and he has earned the approval of all who desire to see the laws enforced, and the cause of temperance advanced. The evil effects of allowing the no license law to be disregarded, and illegal business carried on with more or less openness, are too well known to need any comment here. In his work, the Mayor has been greatly aided by Marshal Richardson, who sees that the cases are well worked up, and sufficient evidence secured to secure conviction. The police have received very strict instructions in this matter, and they feel that they have the support of the head of the city government in their work.

It may be two much to expect that this illegal business will be entirely broken up, but there never was a time when it was carried on so cautiously, and when the law is so closely obeyed, as far as outward appearances go. If any selling is done it is done so secretly as to be a great compliment to the administration.

In this connection, it might not be out of place to call attention to the utter uselessness and cowardice of anonymous complaints. Some people are very willing to complain of illegal selling of liquor, but when asked if they will allow their names to be given to the police, even, for reference, they utterly refuse, as they say they do not wish to be known in the matter. If they know that the law is violated they should give the facts to the police, that the law-breakers may be punished, but very few citizens are willing to do this. For instance, a certain druggist has been complained of for illegal liquor selling. But the complainants refuse to appear before the board of aldermen, to ask that the license be revoked, or to have their names used in any way. Of course in such a case, it is possible to do nothing. The prominent citizens of Newton Centre set a worthy example in this respect, they suspected that a certain druggist was not obeying the law, they made complaints, appeared before the board of aldermen and secured the revocation of the druggist's license. This is the proper way to do, and the only way in which the offender can be reached. There are very few druggists in the city, however, who are in any way suspected of trying to evade the law.

pany and the City Council has set a worthy example in patronizing home industries. They pay large taxes every year, and with the new buildings they propose to put up, these taxes will be increased, and the plan to remove the company to Upper Falls will be good news to that village, where such a solid manufacturing company will be a welcome addition to the manufacturing industries of that place. If other places are so anxious to have the company locate in their midst, that they are offering free building sites, freedom from taxes for a term of years, and other advantages, surely Newton would be very foolish not to try to keep the company here, especially when they can give just as good service, to say the least, as a foreign corporation. It is a matter for congratulation that the matter is settled, and that we shall soon have a police signal system. Work will probably begin within a few days, as soon as the contract can be signed and the preliminaries arranged.

## THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

The Republican State convention has settled the question of a candidate for governor, and although Mr. Crapo was not chosen, the number of votes he received was a splendid endorsement of his fitness for the place, coming as they did from the best element of the party.

A little more practical work in getting out voters to the caucuses would have nominated him, but unfortunately the men who generally attend the caucuses and run the "machine" were on the other side, and the Brackett movement was in charge of very skilful politicians. There is nothing to be said against Mr. Brackett personally, and we hope he will have the courage to break loose from the "State House traditions" of the past few years and make a return to the policy followed by earlier governors and which Mr. Crapo would have followed.

Mr. Hale was nominated for lieutenant governor, and this was an admirable selection and will strengthen the ticket. The remainder of the old ticket was nominated, as it ought to be, as there were no reasons for making any change.

The resolutions were of the usual character, but the planks in relation to civil service reform, and asking that in Massachusetts appointments the President shall appoint the men who "represent and are thoroughly acceptable to the great body of this state," and pledging him the support of the Republicans of Massachusetts in his endeavors to extend the law regulating the civil service "and to root out the evil of patronage" seem rather conflicting. Popular sentiment carried the insertion of an appeal to our Senators and Congressmen "to urge and support a thorough and equitable revision of the tariff, so as to adapt it to changed business conditions affecting New England industries." This is an excellent recommendation and shows that we are becoming emancipated from our bondage to Pennsylvania. On these issues the platform is sound, and it is altogether an excellent document.

Chairman Robinson's speech showed the lack of any very exciting issues now before the country, but the party will hardly endorse his recommendation to take off the taxes on whiskey and tobacco. Those taxes cause no suffering, and it is certainly the statesmanlike policy to tax luxuries rather than necessities. Indeed, judging from the recent increase in the public debt, the revenue from these taxes cannot be dispensed with.

## MR. GILMAN'S LETTER.

In another column we give a letter from Representative Gilman, in reply to the Nationalist appeal, and it will be found to be interesting reading. Mr. Gilman takes a very optimistic view of his associates in the last legislature, and thinks that they were unjustly characterized by the Nationalists, which shows Mr. Gilman's kindness of heart, and his desire to think the best of everybody. Even the lobby, he thinks, is not as black as it is painted, and the lobbyists themselves are evidently proud of their business, as they boast of it and celebrate it with a public dinner. According to the quotations of what the lobbyists say, they are great public benefactors, and the legislature could hardly get along without them, and do its work creditably. The old fashioned and the right way nevertheless would seem to be to consider a question on its merits, without regard to what may be said by the man hired to advocate the passage of a bill, whether they be ex-governors, ex-congressmen, ex-speakers, or ex-anything, whose name and reputation makes the corporations willing to pay a high price for their services. It would be ridiculous, for instance, to imagine George Washington, after his retirement from the Presidency, as willing to attempt to influence the action of Congress, no matter what the size of the fee that was offered him. But in these days men can not afford to be so squeamish, and this is what the Nationalists mean, we suppose.

Mr. Gilman quotes a number of names of excellent men who now hold political office, but their influence somehow seems to be of little weight when compared with that of the Hills and Dudleys and Quays and Gormans, who are now in control of our politics. Neither party has a monopoly of the men of shady character, any more than it has of the virtuous, and what would be considered bad morals in private business is too generally thought to be not only justifiable but perfectly proper in politics. Smartness too often takes the place of honesty, and success comes for everything. The fact that a widespread protest is being made, that such a large minority are restless under the unworthy leadership forced upon them, and even the appeal of the Nationalists, exaggerated though it may be, shows that a reaction is setting in, in fa-

vor of a return to better methods. It is this which gives good hope of the future of the Republic. We have plenty of good men, and if the people can only be roused to attend the caucuses, the nomination of the best men can be secured, and ability, fitness and character will again be the test.

Now that the governorship question is settled, Newton people are beginning to discuss the candidates for Representatives the coming year. Mr. Gilman has served one term and according to the usual custom, will be given a renomination without opposition, as he has made a satisfactory representative. Mr. Slocum has had two terms and whether the custom of limiting a candidate to that period will be followed in his case is an interesting question. Ward Four people are making quite a movement in favor of ex-Alderman George M. Fiske, as they say it is in their turn to name candidates this year, and a better man could not be chosen, as Mr. Fiske is a good Republican, a strong believer in temperance and civil service reform, and a Grand Army man. There may be a contest, if Mr. Slocum's friends desire to return him again. His experience and acquaintance with the legislature would give him a prominent place in the house, if he is again chosen.

VOTES in this city for the election Nov. 5th, 1889, will be cast for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Councillor Dist. No. 3, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor, Attorney General, Senator 2nd Middlesex Dist., 2 Representatives to General Court 16th Middlesex Dist., District Attorney Northern Dist., Sheriff for Middlesex Co., 3 Commissioners of Insolvency, 1 County Commissioner, 2 Special County Commissioners.

THE Middlesex County Republican Convention will be held in Jackson Hall Lowell, Wednesday, October 2, at 10 o'clock. Nominations will be made for Sheriff, County Commissioner, District Attorney, and two Commissioners of Insolvency.

## REPRESENTATIVE GILMAN.

## REPLIES TO THE CHARGES MADE BY THE NATIONALISTS.

To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

I am very much obliged to you for the privilege of another communication relative to the Nationalist appeal which as you say is causing much discussion and which appears to me to be very far out of the way in its description of the last legislature. If such characterizations as is printed in the case, then we reverently say in words to which we are all accustomed "God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The first charge in the Appeal is that the quality and character of the legislature has been steadily declining from year to year, during the last decade, until now the General Court of 1889 is charged as being the most incompetent and corrupt body that ever sat in the State House. The legislature is composed of 240 members of the House of Representatives and forty members of the Senate, an average of one representative to about every ten thousand inhabitants of the state the constituents, who elect their representatives, are scattered from Cape Cod to the Berkshire Hills. It is claimed, and I think not without foundation, that our system of government has educated elevated to that degree in these years so as to produce men of equal integrity and high sense of honor as any that have preceded it. Will any candid person assume to declare that in the face of all facts, easily obtainable, that the people of this state have so far degenerated that they can send only men of base character, that can be bought and sold like cattle in the shambles?"

The addressee also states "that the legislators failed to carry out measures tending to "secure the purity of the ballot, and uphold the general welfare."

The gentleman from Lynn who introduced and successfully carried through the Australian ballot bill at the legislature of '88 was also a member of '89, and can tell of his fellow members of the house who successfully resisted at attempts to impair this important measure, and kept the sympathy of a large majority of the members in rendering the same, as far as was possible, more perfect in its details for the public good.

In your editorial you quote the Milford Journal's dictum "No member who voted for the Boston and Albany stock robbery last season should be returned to the next legislature," which, if carried out, would exclude almost the entire delegation west of Boston on the be of the B. & A. R. R. Most of the opposition to the increase of the capital stock came from members residing in other sections of the state.

Upon one other point regarding this matter there was a difference of opinion, and that was whether the stock should be allowed to be taken by stockholders or whether it should be sold at public auction. I sought advice myself from gentlemen largely connected with railroad interests and received conflicting opinions, some favoring one and some favoring the other. On the whole, it seemed to me to be just and fair that the stockholders should share in any benefit, if any accrued, as the had shown their faith in the railroad by investing in its stock and also the fact that the stock was very largely held as trust funds and these would be benefited by it.

The GRAPHIC very pleasantly refers to Newton's representatives in the words "they were just as good men in the last legislature, no doubt, as were ever seen there, among them being the two representatives from Newton." Now, as a matter of fact, both the Newton representatives voted for the Boston & Albany bill, and in doing it, we were probably actuated by the same facts and motives as animated other members of the house. I think I am speaking for Mr. Stoen in saying that both he and I would resent any imputation that there were no many other men in the last house of representatives more able, as intelligent, and actuated as much by a desire for its public good as we were. Neither of us belonged to any "ring" or were we influenced by "the lobby." Such puer-

statements as those that have been made by certain Boston papers for political effect, and copied indiscriminately by others, have done more harm to the cause of good government in this state than their promoters probably conceive.

In a matter of moral and good government it may be noted that the legislature successfully passed the necessary laws to submit the Prohibition amendment to the votes of the people of the state. Then was strong pressure by endeavours to influence the opinion of members, but with no success, as the vote of the members showed.

The legislature did its full duty in a manly manner to this most important question and that the people did not see fit to accept it certainly can cast no reflection on the integrity of the members of the legislature. It is also charged that the legislature was the servant of "an unscrupulous and strong lobby." It also states "that a quarter of a century ago the Lobby was hardly known." In reply to this, I quote from one of the largest, circled, and most influential newspapers in New England. "In the light of evolution our legislative lobby of to-day is far in advance in what it was even twenty years ago, that is in practices, and comprehensive measures." Formerly members were won to the support of a measure by social considerations of a peculiar and even questionable character. The country member was taken in hand, shown the "elephant," a dinner or supper at some leading hotel, a tour of the city between ten at night and the same hour in the morning to see the sights, and the country member was willing to do anything. Filled with wine and a full stomach, he was ready to promise anything to please his entertainers." Such is the picture as it was drawn of that time. The same paper continues "but since that day, and the triumph of the old lobby, there have been marvelous changes in our industry and commercial affairs. With vast interest at stake, is it any wonder that less reliance was placed on the old lobby system for giving satisfaction. In these days, it is considered fair play to allow a man to testify in his own behalf."

I quote from an interview in the same paper referred to above from a gentleman of the 3rd House who said frankly, "lobbying is our business. We do not deny it and consider it perfectly legitimate. To illustrate, an important measure is sought for before the Legislature, the matter is referred to a committee for consideration and report. When the hearing is held, counsel is generally employed in the interests of those who work for the legislation that they may better explain to the committee the merits of the case and show that the measure asked for is needed; others are employed in opposition, to endeavor if possible to defeat it by argument or other means best known to the legal profession. No one blames a lawyer for using his best endeavors for the interests employed. This is all that the lobbyist does. We endeavor to enlighten members, as to the merits of a cause and hold to that fact as legitimately as the lawyer for the same cause. It may cost money to carry on a measure, it does not increase the cost of the state. I do not say that money may not have been paid, but I will say that I do not know anything about it. Neither does it, by any means, follow that if the services of the lobby are not secured, that they arrange themselves in opposition to the measures that are sought for. If it be one of public utility, we do not oppose it, on the contrary, there are measures that come up where our services are not engaged, where we do all we can to see a matter of general interest carried through, but when private interest comes up and tries to obtain legislation, we feel free to discuss the merits of the case and express our opinion, as any one else has a right to do. The gentlemen connected with a lobby or known as members of the third house may be found in the corridors and waiting room at the State House, ever ready to impart information, courteous and obliging, and appear to be simply looking after the interests, as they claim, legitimately intrusted to their keeping."

The appeal makes special mention of the fact of a public dinner held by members of the Third house at the close of the last session and to which also you call my attention. A daily paper in noticing it says "one peculiarity of this feast was the entire absence of whiskey, punch, champagne or wine. There was not a particle of it in the banqueting hall." Surely they could not be charged as being intemperate in drinking whatever else there may be against them and they at least set a good example that others may follow. A garbled quotation is given of a sentiment that was proposed instead of being as quoted "To the member who has one hand upon the pulse of labor and the other on the pulse of capital," the daily paper referred to gives it as "Labor and the public pulse," (surely nothing very revolutionary) that which was responded to by a gentleman who said he had for thirty years been a defender of labor without compensation, a very noticeable difference in the sentiment as quoted, and the sentiment as given.

In referring to the communication signed by "Citizen" which you published last week, you referred to the above dinner, evidently under a misapprehension of facts.

With regard to the political leaders of to-day as compared with those of the past, all I can say is that you think it is fair to institute a comparison between Lincoln, Seward, Chase, Sumner and other national leaders of former days who have made our history in the last 25 years and have won more memorable distinction, and those who are engaged in the politics of to-day such as Quay, Governor Hill, Mahone and others? You seem to forget the political leaders of the present, Hoar, Long, Edmunds, Roslind, Hawley, Anthony, Reid and others that are foremost among those who have guided our political affairs and who enjoy the confidence of the people. Permit me to ask whose fault it is, if good men to-day are not in political life? Surely they can be found for that. The last legislature contained most of national reputation on the part of to-day and as far as the House is concerned, they passed some of the very measures which the "Appeal" claims should be sought for and did all in their power in that direction.

In reference to the speaker it may be stated there can be but one man elected to the speakership, and he has but little influence in controlling legislation." He is the presiding officer and may have the power to expedite business and forward legislation, but the House would be very restive under any officer attempting to control their actions.

The Republican convention has selected one of two worthy gentlemen to be the gubernatorial candidate of their party.

There was an honorable competition,

and frank and friendly. Let all good

citizens, republicans at least, endeavor

to secure the election of Mr. Crapo's personal friend, Hon. J. Q. A. Brackett.

Yours truly,

G. D. GILMAN.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—What's the matter with Turner—he's all right.

—Woodman's base ball puzzle sold at Taintor's.

—There is a great demand for domestics in this ward.

—Mr. A. A. Savage will return from Marshfield, Oct. 1.

—Mrs. C. D. Cabot is recovering from a very serious illness.

—Mr. George Clark is building a new house on Cabot street.

—Call for the genuine Woodman's Base Ball Puzzle at Taintor's.

—A. L. Gardner, the cornetist, has returned to Boston Highlands.

—It is understood that the electric cars will be propelled by horses this winter.

—Mr. George H. Hill has returned from his trip to Shrine Hill, Goffstown, N. H.

—Mrs. E. F. Miller has a fine assortment of millinery at her rooms in Eagle block.

—Mr. E. A. Philbin and family, Kimball Terrace, have returned from the seashore.

—The employees of the highway department are engaged in repairing Watertown street.

—The Clafin school will reopen Monday next, when the regular sessions will be resumed.

—Representative W. S. Slocum was on the committee on credentials at the state convention.

—Miss Jennie Preston has returned from North Falmouth where she has been spending her vacation.

—Mr. E. E. Estes and family have returned from Green Harbor, after a very pleasant vacation.

—Mr. H. F. Ross is building a new house for Mr. H. H. Sacker, corner of Walnut and Clyde streets.

—Messrs. Fuller & French have rented Mr. MacAdam's house on Brooks avenue to Mr. Joseph Butler.

—Mrs. Trowbridge, Walnut street, has been quite seriously ill, but is somewhat improved in health.

—Repairs will probably be made soon on Tremont Hall and it will be fitted up for lodge room purposes.

—Some changes will be made in the roster of the high school battalion which will be announced later.

—Miss Batchelder, the assistant at the postoffice, is away this week on account of the serious illness of her mother.

—F. B. Sisson, formerly with J. D. Billings, has opened a carpenter shop on the Adams place, Washington street.

—Mr. Henry F. Ross left here Tuesday afternoon for New York City. He will be absent a few days on a business trip.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn met with an accident last Friday, sticking a meat hook into his hand and receiving a painful wound.

—Rev. John Worcester and family returned Tuesday from Intervale, N. H., where they have been spending the summer.

—D. C. Heath & Co. are among American publishers who have made fine exhibits of educational works at the Paris Exposition.

—Mr. D. R. Lyons spent Sunday at Padock's Island. The trip to and return was made in a pretty yacht owned by a Boston gentleman.

—Patrick Conoly and Angie Booth were married at the residence of Rev. Dr. Folan Tuesday evening. They will reside on Murray street.

—Mrs. John Irving will return from New York, Monday. She has been there on a visit, but unfortunately has been quite ill during her absence.

—Mr. J. H. Packard and family who have been occupying Mr. W. F. Kimball's house on Harvard street have removed to Chestnut Park, Boston.

—The tracks of the Newton Street Rail-way Company will be laid on the side of Washington street between the truck station and Greenwood avenue.

—Mr. W. H. Mendell, representing the Gamewell Fire Alarm and Police Signal company, attended the session of the board of aldermen Monday evening.

—The Newtons and West Newtons will play a game of ball on the Magnolia grounds Saturday afternoon for a purse of \$50. An exciting contest may be anticipated.

—Mr. D. R. Lyons, clerk at H. P. Dearborn's market, has accepted a position with Messrs. Stone & Peirce, produce and provision dealers, Boston. He will commence his new duties Monday.

—James Kelley and John Byrne were arraigned in the police last Friday for the larceny of a banjo and some clothing from John Fells, an employee of J. H. Hill. Both were found guilty and sentenced 3 months each in the house of correction.

—The new building on Washington street which is being built by Edward Hodson is speedily assuming form and shape. The roof of the old building in the rear which connects with the new portion will be raised to a corresponding height.

—Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., will deliver the closing sermon to the members of the Central Congregational church, Sunday morning. He leaves for Newark, N. J., with his family, Monday. The good wishes of his former parishioners and the community attend him in his new pastoral relations.

—The Boston Traveller says: Certain churches are to be founded in some of the smaller towns and unfortunate in having them go to larger churches. The Newtonville Congregational Church has within a few years lost three able men called to other fields.

—Rev. Rufus A. White was one of the principal debaters at the afternoon session of the Universalist convention at Fitchburg yesterday, speaking on the topic of charity work. Mr. C. Robinson was elected one of the lay delegates to the general convention.

—Officer Bosworth found Fred Rueble, 3 years of age, on Washington street Monday afternoon. The little fellow had strayed from his home in Waltham and was unable to tell his name. A description of the child was sent to the central station and later his parents came for him at Officer Bosworth's house, where he had a good supper and was happy and contented.

—Thursday evening about forty comrades from Post 62, of Newtonville, paid a fraternal visit to Post 5, G. A. R., of Lynn. The work of muster-in of candidates was exemplified by Post 5 in a manner that received the highest commendation from the visitors. Under W. H. Dill, of Post 62, made a very interesting address, and he was followed by several other comrades of his Post, who had attended the recent National Convention at Milwaukee in company with Commander Hill, of Post 5. Comrade Bradshaw, of Post 62, a member of Co. H, 39th Mass. Vols., whose reunion he recently attended, read a poem, which he dedicated to Post 5 in the name of Post 62.

—There was quite a large gathering last evening in the parlor of the Central Congregational Church, Newtonville, upon the occasion of a farewell reception tendered to Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., for the past three years pastor of that church. The room was prettily decorated with wild flowers and autumn leaves. After the usual social features the good-byes were spoken and the last words exchanged between a loved pastor and his parishioners. Among those present were Rev. R. A. White, Rev. John Worcester and Rev. G. S. Butters. Rev. Mr. Hunter leaves here Monday for Newark, N. J., to assume new duties as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in that city.

—The opening reception of the Newtonville Woman's Guild will take place at the residence of Mrs. Chas. F. West, Newtonville avenue, on Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, from 3 to 6 p. m. The feature of the evening is the list of officers for the coming year. President, Mrs. Geo. R. Hill; vice presidents, Mrs. G. F. Kimball, Mrs. E. W. Redpath, Mrs. D. S. Simpson, Mrs. H. F. Ross; recording secretary, Mrs. Walter L. Chaloner; corresponding secretary, Miss Mary W. Hackett; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. P. Cooke; auditor, Mrs. G. S. Butters; general committee, Mrs. John Martin, 4 years; chairman hospital committee, Mrs. L. H. Thayer, 4 years; chairman charitable committee, Mrs. J. N. Allen, 3 years; chairman industrial committee, Mrs. G. B. Macomber, 3 years; chairman social committee, Mrs. L. H. Roberts and Mrs. E. A. Whiston, 2 years; Mrs. A. H. Soden and Mrs. A. T. Sylvester, 1 year.

—The water board is nearly ready to report to the city council in regard to high water service. The members of the board have given up the management of their study to the matter, in order to give to the people of Newton as thoroughly satisfactory high service system as can be found in suburban cities elsewhere. The board has been criticized by residents on account of what seemed unnecessary delay in introducing the high service system, but the board has not been neglected; on the contrary it has prospered, and the result will be more satisfactory to the people for the reason that they will get in the end a better system.

—An ecclesiastical council met in the Central Congregational Church, Tuesday afternoon, and acted upon the resignation of Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., pastor of the church. The action passed of the following persons: D. S. Farnham, Newton Centre; Rev. H. J. Patrick, William Brewster, West Newton; Rev. Calvin Cutler, Rev. H. A. Hazen, Auburndale; Rev. W. A. Lamb, Nonantum; Rev. G. P. Phipps, William C. Strong, Newton Highlands; Jacob Fullerton, Boston; Rev. Elijah Horn, D. T. B. Bailey, Allston. The action was read by Rev. Henry J. Patrick, and the organization then proceeded with, resulting in the choice of Rev. A. H. Quint, D. D., moderator; Rev. H. A. Hazen, scribe. The resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter was read and the action of the church in accepting it, given from the records. It appeared that the church had voted to accept the resignation, although regretting the loss of their pastor, whose labors among them had been very successful. The committee appointed on the part of the church to unite with Rev. Mr. Hunter in issuing the call for the council was Messrs. W. F. Slocum, G. W. Green, Austin Sherman; committee of the Central Congregational Church, W. G. W. Green. After the reading of the resignation and records concerning it, the council went into executive session. In public session the action was announced. The council voted unanimously, approving the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hunter, and dissolving the ecclesiastical relation between him and the Central Congregational Church. Rev. Mr. Hunter has accepted a call to Newark, N. J., and leaves here for his new home and new pastoral duties, Monday.

—Now that the city has adopted a police signal system, it has been suggested that a new police station should be built, provided with offices and sleeping apartments. At present the city boasts of only three look-ups, poorly provided with cell room and no accommodation for sleeping. It is proposed to increase the number of patrols in order to secure a continuous patrol of the city, and in order to do it, proper sleeping rooms must be provided for the men on the night relief. Newtonville would be the most central and desirable location for the new station.

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The Elixir of Life at Oak Hill.  
To the Editor of the GRAPHIC.

Some of our citizens have been inclined to question the claim that the Oak Hill district of the city is the most healthful portion of our territory. Some have evidently overlooked the fact that people live there to a good old age and apparently seem to wear out after they have enjoyed many years of life and happiness. Let us look at some of the personal history of this favored spot for a moment.

Deacon Eben Stone died a few years ago at the age of 72 years, and he passed the larger part of his life on Dedham street. Across the street from Deacon Stone lived David Stone, who died a few years ago at the age of 79 years. Deacon Stone has a son living who moved from Oak Hill to the vicinity of Taunton a few years since, and is 60 years of age. Mr. David Stone has a son living who is 62 years of age, and likely to reach his father's 70 years.

Near the school house we find the following items of personal history: Mrs. Hall, mother of David, died within a year or two, at the age of 88. Her son, Mr. David Hall, is 68 years of age, and she has a daughter living who is 65. In the immediate vicinity Mr. Butters is living at the age of 78 years. His wife is 82 years of age, and he has a son who is 53 years of age. Mr. Amos Estee died recently at the age of 85 years. His wife is still living, having passed 85 years. His son is 55 years of age. In the same neighborhood live Mr. and Mrs. Noah King at an age somewhere between 70 and 75 years, and Mr. James Smith, who has passed his 75th year.

To your correspondent this is quite a record, showing most conclusively that Oak Hill possesses some remarkable life-preserving qualities. Does any one feel surprised to learn that Dr. Bigelow has built him a mansion in this locality? And Hon. Levi C. Wade, who evidently wished to make his mark a good while in this world, has also erected a splendid dwelling on Oak Hill, and no one can tell how soon the keen perception and excellent judgment of other men will lead them to occupy the accessible territory of this region, where they can establish themselves amid the delightful surroundings of beautiful landscape and invigorating atmosphere. There is more land to be occupied, and wise men will soon build the altars of home on its inviting bosom.

By the way, Mr. Editor, I came very near overlooking the fact that Mr. Conrad Decker, who also lives not far from Dr. Bigelow, is about 75 years of age, and gives evidence of unusual vigor for a man of his years. Mr. James S. Carey is also about 75 years of age. This completes the list of the aged worthies of the locality. And thus does Oak Hill crown her sons and daughters with the glories of a long and sunny afternoon of life.

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## LIST OF NEW BOOKS.

Allsop, F. C. Practical Electric Bell Fitting: A Treatise on the Fitting-up and Maintenance of Electric Bells and All the Necessary Apparatus.	102.508
Bridges, A. E. Man and his Maladies, or the Way to Health; a Popular Handbook of Physiology and Domestic Medicine in Accord with the Advance in Medical Science.	102.507
Cressey, Sir Edw. The Imperial and Colonial Constitutions of the British Empire; including Indian Affairs.	86.57
Crowquill, A. Seymour's Humorous Sketches; comprising 86 Caricatures Etchings illustrated in Prose and Verse; with Biog. Notice of R. Seymour by H. G. Bohn.	57.218
Daunt, A. Cray, Glacier and Avalanche: Narratives of Daring and Danger.	31.287
Dennis, A. Heroes of Literature; English Poets; a Book for Young Readers.	91.555
Brief biographies of illustrious English poets, including a sketch of their works with extracts.	43.100
Finney, M. Elsie and the Raymonds. Fleuriot, Z. Parisien et Montagnards. Forster, E. B. Notes on Some Few of the Wrecks and Rescues during the Present Century.	43.100
Put in the form of a book in the hope that they may suggest means for life-saving.	31.292
Gengen, J. F. Handbook of Rhetorical Analysis; Studies in Style and Invention.	54.522
Goss, W. J. Jed; a Boy's Adventures in the Army of '61-'65; a Story of Battle and Prison, of Peril and Escape.	63.739
Hanley, Sir Edw. Shakespeare's Funeral; and Other Papers.	54.523
Henty, G. A. With Clive in India; or the Beginnings of an Empire.	65.666
Lowe, E. J. Natural History of New Zealand; the animals amongst which are the New Hymenophyllous and Trichomanes.	97.172
Supplementary to "British and Exotic Ferns."	97.183
Lupton, J. Life of John Colet, D. D., Dean of St. Paul's, and Founder of St. Paul's School; with some of his Biblical writings.	104.280
Mapleton, J. H. The Garrison Memoirs, 1848-88. 2 vols.	65.669
The author has undertaken to set forth a few of the difficulties attending the career of an operatic manager during the last thirty years.	101.437
Ribot, T. English Psychology. Roe, E. P. Taken, Treasured and Other Stories, with an Autobiography.	66.626
Summers, J. C. ed. "Who Won?" the Official Yacht Record and Illustrated Pocket Register, 1889.	32.404
Tinker, M. A. Two Coronets.	
Tissot, V. Unknown Switzerland.	
The writer describes the Switzerland, mountain roads, shady woods, quiet inns, cheap hostels, and "little" roads, the natives' Switzerland."	
Ward, W. William George Ward and the Oxford Movement.	
Wind, H. de. From Pekin to Calais by Land.	
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Zimmer, H. The Hansa Towns. (Story of the Nations Series.)	72.282
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## New Music.

The following new music has been received from Arthur P. Schmidt & Co., 13 West street, Boston: Vocal: "Eros," and "Oh! What Comes Over the Sea;" Margaret Ruthven Lang; "The Time I've Lost in Wining;" Chas. Tinney, for ladies voices; "The Violet," "Sweet and Low," and "The Anow and the Song;" G. P. Ritter. For pianoforte, Staccato Etude, C. Czerny; Easy Exercises, M. Kohler. For organ: March Heroique, Fredrick Maxsen.

## fir Stronger Than Oak.

It is generally supposed that oak is much stronger than fir, but a series of tests made recently at the car shops of the Northern Pacific railroad, in Tacoma, Washington Territory, shows that the reverse is actually the case. The tests were made by actual breaking strain, on sticks two by four inches and four feet long, the weight being applied in the middle of a span of three feet nine-inches. The results of five tests were as follows: First, an old piece of yellow fir, six years exposed to the weather, broke at 3002 pounds; second, a new soft piece of fine-grained yellow fir broke at 3002 pounds; third, old piece of yellow fir, coarse grain and hard, broke short at 4320 pounds; fourth, a new piece of fir from the butt of a tree coarse grain, broke with a stringy fracture at 3635 pounds; fifth, a new piece of Michigan oak broke nearly short off at a weight of 2428 pounds. The deflections before breaking were as follows: The first and second pieces, half an inch; third, three eighths of an inch; fourth, five-eighths of an inch; fifth, the oak piece, one inch and an eighth.

## Young Men in Politics.

(From the Springfield Union.)

Some of the "young men" who have got into Massachusetts politics recently on the strength of their youth, seem to have the idea that they own the earth. But we believe the last legislature did not pass any bill disfranchising Republicans who have grown gray working and fighting for Republicanism. Youth is very well in its way, but for a steady diet, most people want something more than bob veal, and the Republicans of Massachusetts have had about all the alleged meat of that kind they want for the present. If there is going to be a Republican party in Massachusetts for either young men or old men, this nonsensical flapdoodle about the extraordinary smartness and wisdom of "men under 30" should be energetically squelched. A man over 30 is just as good as a man under 30, if he behaves himself, and some of those dapper young fellows whose chief political principle is to take the honors and offices, should give their mouths and pens a rest.

"Darling," said the young man, as he tenderly raised the lovely head from the place where it had rested an hour or more, got up, sat down again on the other side of the beautiful maiden, and once more drew the golden curlis to his bosom, "you have no objection to this slight change of position, have you?" "No, Alfred," she murmured, softly, "your heart is on this side." "Yes, my angel," responded the young man, his voice trembling with deep feeling, "and my vest will now be soiled alike on both sides." —[Chicago Tribune.]

"They use the Westinghouse air brake on all these cars," said Whitegoods to his companion, as the train rolled on. "That's so," replied Spices, wearily, looking at the porter with the air of a man who would like to commit murder on the spot. "I thought from the time that robber stirred us up it must be Earlyday break." And the train continued to roll on.—Burdette's Humor.

"You are working too hard," said the old subscriber to the editor. "You ought to have another man to help you. There's work enough for two men." "And have it done twice as bad as I do it now? Oh, no, and the editor shook his head gravely and proceeded with his work.—[Merchant Traveler.]

## The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any throat, lung or chest trouble, procure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at Arthur Hudson's drugstore.

## Peculiar.

In the combination, proportion, and preparation of its ingredients, Hood's Sarsaparilla accomplishes cures where other preparations entirely fail. Peculiar in its good name, which is a "tower of strength abroad," peculiar in the phenomenal sales it has attained, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most successful medicine for purifying the blood, giving strength, and creating an appetite.

The cash receipts on the Old Colony railroad on Labor Day were \$18,000, the sum for a single day in the history of the road.

## Bucken's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world, for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever sores, Tetter, chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For sale by Arthur Hudson.

## Eleven Years in Charge.

Of the packard department, Boston & Maine Depot, Boston, Mass. Miss Melinda Jones says: I was a mother, from a general liability, business and water brush for several years, and life seemed almost a burden to me. After using almost everything, Sulphur Bitters cured me.

## Some Foolish People.

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. Then, if you will wear a cap, but in the case it wears, then you should they be induced to try the successful remedy, Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50¢, & \$1. Trial size free. At all druggists.

"I cannot praise Hood's Sarsaparilla half enough," says a mother whose son, almost blind with scrofula, was cured by this medicine.

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Large Bottles are 50 cents per bottle at all Druggists.

## Rheumatism.

BEING due to the presence of uric acid in the blood, is most effectively cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Be sure you get Ayer's and no other, and take it till the poisonous acid is thoroughly expelled from the system. We challenge attention to this testimony:—

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### NEWTON CENTRE.

—Woodman's base ball puzzle at Woodman's.

—Mrs. Lemuel C. Barnes has returned from Magnolia.

—Mr. Wm. B. Merrill has taken a house on Crescent avenue.

—Mr. C. D. Barry is to occupy a house on Parker street, shortly.

—Fred and Harry Bates return to Harvard College this week.

—Rev. H. L. Wheeler is spending a few days at Greenfield, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Stevens returned from their trip Saturday.

—Prof. Brown and family have returned from Hampton Falls, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Pratt are taking a few days' vacation this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Bassett have returned this week from Seuite.

—Call for the genuine Woodman's Base Ball Puzzle at W. F. Woodman's.

—Miss Kittie Davis is spending a few days in Connecticut, we understand.

—A select dancing school is to be opened at the Highlands, some time next month.

—Mr. C. M. Newton and family have returned to their residence on Beacon street.

—Capt. Dunn of Thomaston, Me., is visiting Mr. Chas. Copeland on Grant avenue.

—Mr. Warren Stetson and family are soon to return to their residence in Boston.

—Mr. Edward W. Noyes and family have returned from their cottage at North Scituate.

—The inspector found all in good order at the depot, on his visit Wednesday morning.

—Mr. W. F. Turner and family are expected home from Nantasket, next Monday.

—Mr. Henry Bailey of Beacon street has gone to Westchester, Pa., on a two weeks' trip.

—Ward street is being repaired and rolled near Alderman Harbach's residence.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Davis are expected in New York next Sunday from Europe.

—A child of Chas. W. Stickney died at the Newton Cottage Hospital, Wednesday morning.

—Mrs. Mamie Robbins of Worcester is visiting at her father's, Mr. Chas. E. Dudley's, on Station street.

—Miss Mamie Richardson of Hubbardston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. G. Brown, of Bowes street.

—Miss Anna Pope of Ridge avenue returned this week from Cotuit, Mass., where she has been for two weeks.

—Mr. Arthur Webster, who has spent two years or more in Germany in study, has been at home this week.

—Mr. Carlton E. Davis of Pelham street has returned from his scientific trip through many of the western states.

—Mrs. William E. Webster leaves this week for Syracuse, N. Y., where she intends staying a couple of weeks.

—The new ventilators at the Mason school building have been finished and capped above the roof this week.

—Mr. Chas. Estey of Oak Hill announced one of the fingers of his left hand while chopping wood one day this week.

—Mrs. Goodspeed, and Miss Ida Goodspeed, have returned this week from Cape Cod, where they have been visiting.

—Mr. James Newell and family returned on Wednesday from North Scituate, where they had had a cottage for the summer.

—Mr. D. H. McWain is removing his goods from the store started by him one year ago to his old store in the same block.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Williams of Centre street are spending the week at Needham, visiting Mrs. Williams' father, Dr. Leach.

—The apple tree near Farnum's block, from which blossoms were picked a couple of weeks ago, has yielded a second crop of green apples.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Amos E. Lawrence have returned from a few weeks at Seal Harbor, Me., where they greatly enjoyed their vacation.

—W. O. Knapp & Co. offer Cobb, Bates & Yerxa's prices on flour, and also call attention to their Diamond Creamery Butter. See advertisement.

—Rev. Gilbert R. Brackett, D. D., of Charleston, S. C., will preach at the Congregational church, Sunday morning. Services begin at 10:30.

—Mr. H. S. Williams took passage for the White Mountains, Tuesday, on one of the Raymond excursions, for a short vacation, returning Monday.

—Mr. Geo. F. Richardson, Mr. Wells Polley and Mr. Wm. Ball (Mr. W. Appleton's superintendent) were noticed at the Beacon Park races on Monday.

—Dr. Bigelow, Messrs. Wiswell, Carey and some others of Oak Hill were trying to make hay the first of the week, some of it having been cut out or two weeks.

—Mr. S. L. Pratt's depot carriage, driven by Chas. Dudley, has just come out of the paint shop and is in first class condition to serve the Newton Centre publics.

—Several new houses are appearing in this village. Mr. Samuel C. Ticey's building one for himself on Pleasant street, which is fast nearing completion.

—Hon. Alden Speare was one of the vice-presidents at large at the Republican state convention, and Hon. Levi C. Wade represented this district on the committee on resolutions.

—Councilman A. H. Roffe's stable, when finished, will be the largest and probably the finest in Newton Centre. Two large cupolas have been built this week, one on each end of the roof.

—The clock on the Mason school building which had struck for a week—or more properly had refused to strike—was again set at work at 4 p. m., Tuesday, after being thoroughly cleaned and oiled.

—Rev. E. K. Alden, D. D., and Rev. Wm. Butler, D. D., will address a union mission meeting at the Baptist church, Newton Centre, Sunday evening, Sept. 29. The public are cordially invited.

—Rev. Theodore Holmes has not been able to occupy his pulpit for two weeks on account of his health. Rev. Mr. Furber preached last Sunday and the week before Rev. Mr. Boynton took his place.

—There will be singing services in the Unitarian church next Sunday in addition to the usual morning service, beginning at 7 o'clock. Rev. Edward F. Hayward of Chicopee will conduct both services. Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

—Mr. F. J. Salsman, of the senior class at the Institute, has secured a position this winter as teacher of bible lessons and wood carving at the Jackson College, Jackson, Miss. Mr. Salsman will remain next year to resume his studies in this place.

—The list of advertised letters for this week are Mr. John C. Chase, Mrs. Roberta, Mrs. Joseph McFarland, Miss Katherine McFarland, Miss Katie McFarlane, Mr. T. L. Roberts, Mr. Daniel T. Sullivan, Mr. Frank S. Trefethen, Mr. F. H. Thompson, Mr. Granville P. Wilson, Mr. A. Wheeler.

—Mr. William Bemis, of Bemis & Jewett, painters, while at work, Friday of last week, on the Home, slipped and fell from the staging to the ground. He struck on a pile of boards, breaking two ribs and an arm and fracturing his wrist. He was conveyed to the Newton Cottage Hospital, where he is improving slowly.

—Miss Jennie Peck has secured the position of bookkeeper at the State Insane Asylum. Webster, after a very creditable examination, Miss Peck passed the civil service examination here in Newton, then in Boston in competition with twenty others, showing superiority for the position over all the other applicants. Col. L. F. Kingsbury was also instrumental in securing the position for her, and it is a compliment to both that she has been awarded the place.

—The program for the celebration of the coming 225th anniversary of the First church has been arranged. The services will be held on Sunday, Oct. 7, with historical addresses by Dr. Furber, *pastor emeritus*, and Rev. T. J. Holmes. Also a gathering of the Sunday school, including past and present members. On Monday evening there will be various addresses from many former members, and prominent invited guests from in and out of town. On Tuesday, Oct. 8, there will be historical addresses by Dr. Furber, *pastor emeritus*, and Rev. T. J. Holmes. Also a gathering of the Sunday school, including past and present members. On Monday evening there will be various addresses from many former members, and prominent invited guests from in and out of town. On Tuesday, Oct. 8, there will be historical addresses by Dr. Furber, *pastor emeritus*, and Rev. T. J. Holmes. Also a gathering of the Sunday school, including past and present members. 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